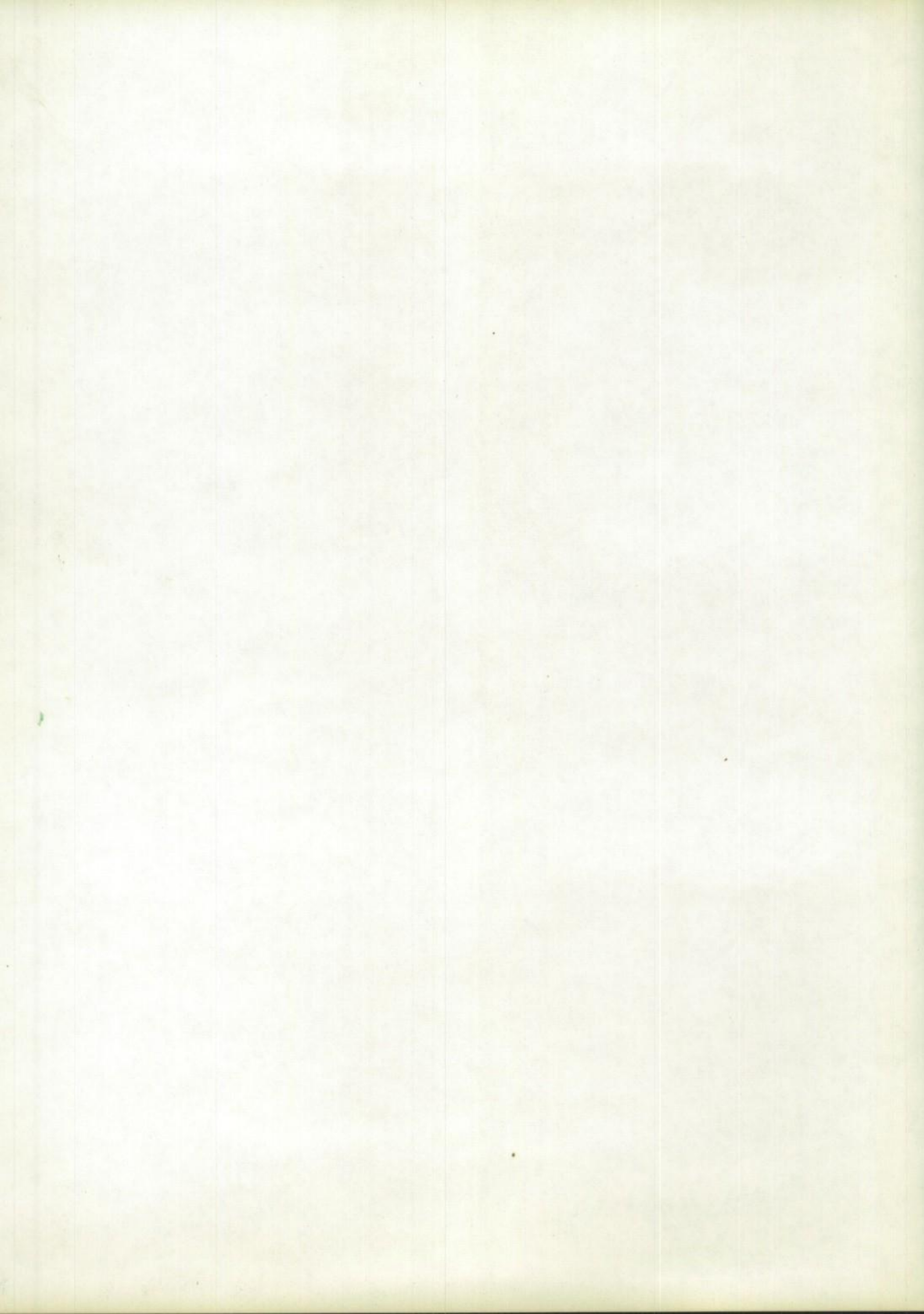


NINETEEN HUNDRED SEVENTY SEVEN

THE COMETS



Harold D. Moody



"Memories fade like sun-bleached curtains,
Names are erased like chalk on a blackboard.
Faces mix like a bowl full of jellybeans,
Yet we have photographs preserving our memories."

The "Staff"

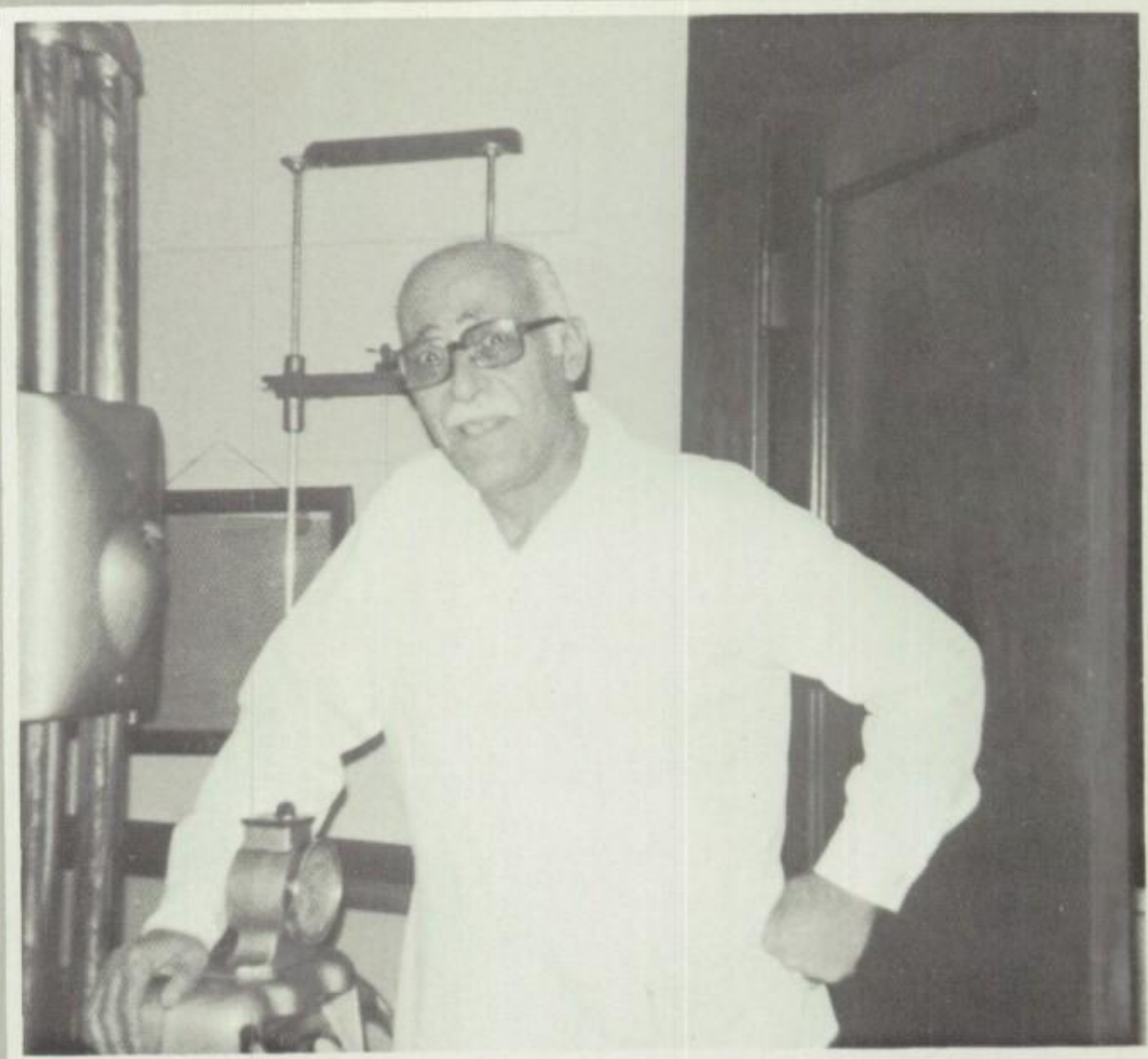
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Long
Hours
Of
Work
Dedication . . .
Devotion



We Devote This 1977 Yearbook To Dr. John J. David

For his unselfish devotion for the Cassville Community in the practice of medicine.

Cassville, without an active doctor since 1942 obtained the services of Dr. John J. David, physician and surgeon.

Mr. David is a graduate of the University of Iowa's Medical School. After serving his internship he enlisted in the armed forces. Sixteen months of his 32 months in service were spent in the European War Theater where he was stationed with the combat engineers and later with a MP Unit, retiring from service with the rating of Captain.

After coming to Cassville, he has delivered about 50 babies a year until 1974; Assisted in surgery until 15 years ago; Took patients to Lancaster and Dubuque hospitals. Marked changes such as government controls and paperwork has made it hard for doctors to sufficiently help the sick.

Younda Adrian was his office nurse through the years, and is now assisted by his wife, Catherine. Doc and Catherine have 5 children, Patricia, Mary Kay, Thomas, Robert and Gina. He has also served on the V.F.W. City council for two terms and was Post Commander three terms.





FALL

First And Ten,



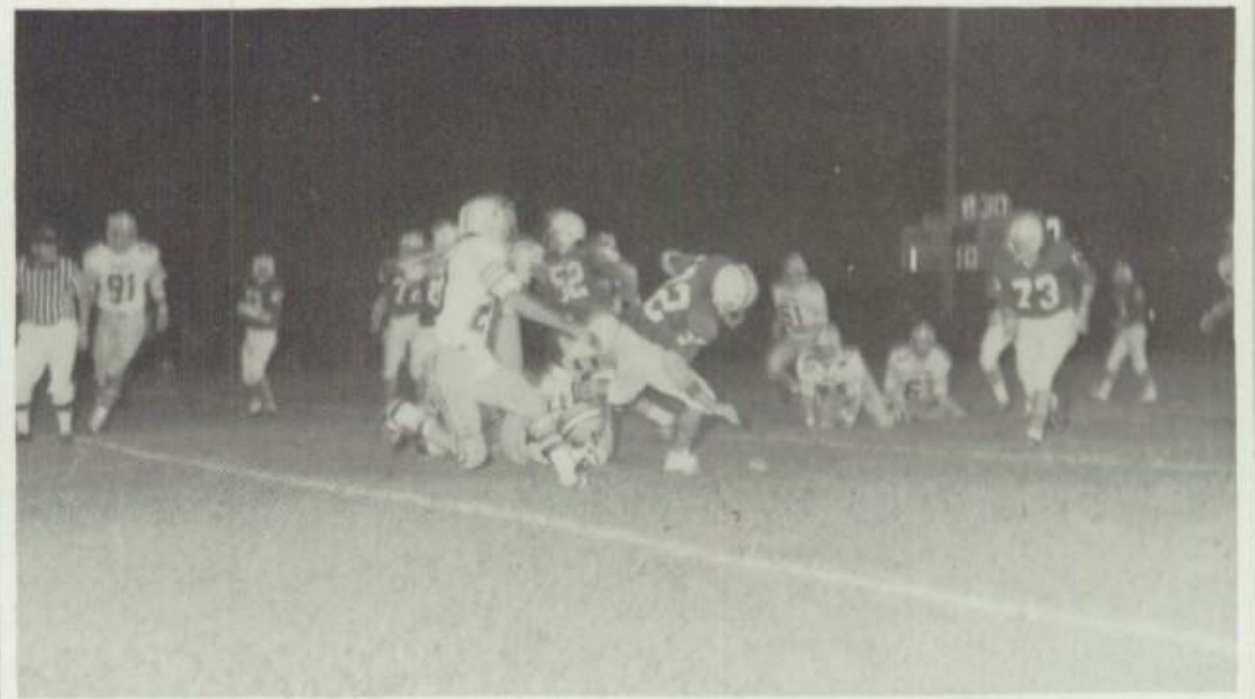
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The 1976 season for the Cassville football team was one of ups and downs. This group of young men, however, made a real effort to put Cassville football back in the upper level of the Blackhawk league. The 1976 squad finished 4 and 4 in conference play; good enough for fourth place and a first division spot. This squad never quit -- they were never shut out.

Two highlights of this past season have to be the 32-6 thumping the comets gave Hazel Green Southwestern and the 12-6 overtime victory over Shullsburg -- the first varsity overtime game.

Several school records fell this past season. Mitch Pellock now holds all the school passing records. Tim Bilderback set a school career receiving record with 59 grabs. Jeff Glass set a single season receiving record with 29 grabs and both Mitch and Jeff combined for a record typing TD pass of 75 yards vs. Potosi. Two players made all-conference first team: Jeff Glass at offensive end and Dave Junk at Defensive end.



Do It Again



Comets In Action

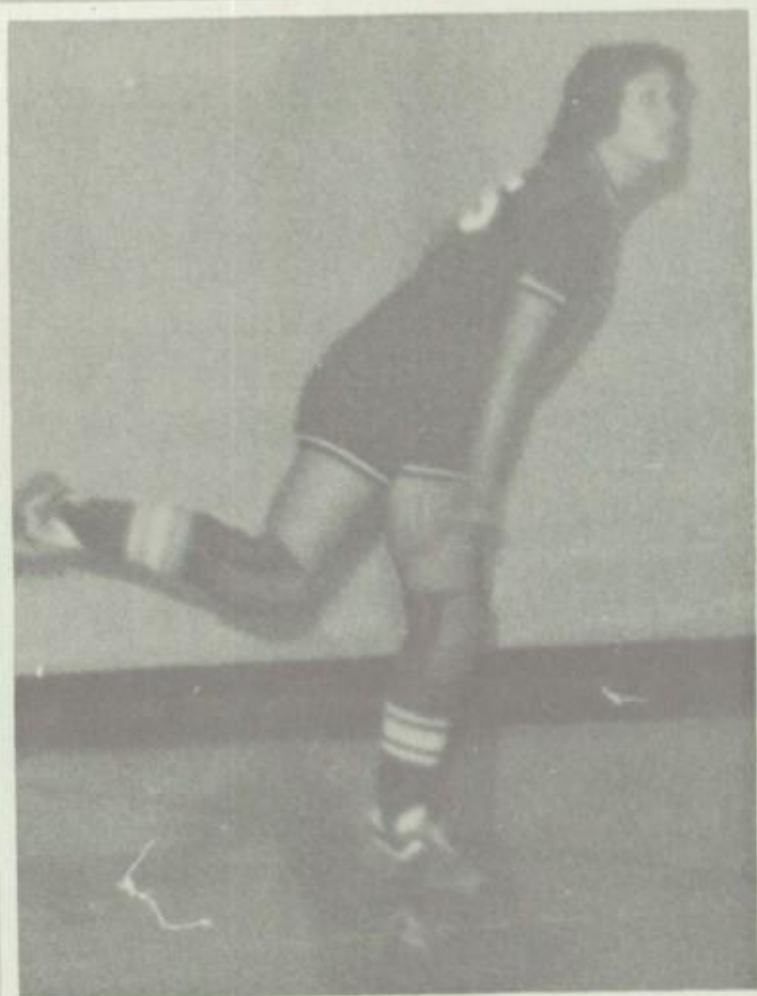
The Junior Varsity football team ended its season with a one- and four record. This reflected the fact that the squad consisted of mainly freshmen with a few sophomores. Bob Harris and Mark Davidson started at the quarterback position and both did a fine job. The leading ground gainer and workhorse was Bob Hudson, who scored 24 of the 30 points of the season. Stan Wood scored the other six points. The Junior Varsity did a fine job this year, and next year will be exciting with many of the players returning to action.

Remember this your
lifetime through
Tomorrow, there will be
more to do
And failure waits for all
who stay
With some success made
yesterday
Tomorrow, you must try
once more
And even harder than
before.



FRONT ROW: B. Budd, P. Ames, R. Bausch, J. Eckstein, D. Langkamp, P. Bausch, D. Saam, J. Moris, Mr. Vincent -- Coach, SECOND ROW: J. Floessl, S. Wood, P. Dietrich, B. Haas, D. Mergen, B. Hudson, B. Harris, B. Harris, Mark Davidson, J. Steil

Comettes Follow Through . . .



VOLLEYBALL SCORES VARSITY

Cassville	15	12	10	Southwestern	3	15	15
Cassville	15	15	8	Boscobel	10	12	15
Cassville	10	15	9	Potosi	15	13	15
Cassville	15	13	10	Southwestern	0	15	15
Cassville	9	15	15	Highland	15	8	6
Cassville	6	15	1	West Grant	15	8	15
Cassville	15	12	9	Shullsburg	12	15	15
Cassville	15	2	15	Benton	2	15	13
Cassville	7	5	15	Bloomington	15	15	9
Cassville	5	8	17	Belmont	15	15	15

TOURNAMENTS

Cassville	13	15	6	Potosi	15	11	15
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Another Season



Bump



Set



Spike

This year was a rebuilding year for the girls' volleyball team and many experiences learned. The varsity and JV ended the 1976 season with identical records: 3-7, overall; 2-6, conference. In the games that the comettes lost, many of the scores were very close -- with some going into extra points before being decided. A JV game against Belmont, that was very good competition ended with a score of 19-17. One game that has to be remembered by the varsity team was at Hazel Green when they defeated Southwestern 15-0. With seven returning letter winners, we are eyeing a better place in the conference next year.

THE JV TEAM

AT LEFT: TOP ROW: S. Okey, C. Hampton, C. White, L. Blum, J. Tranchita, P. Kafar; ROW 2: J. Steil, E. Richason, D. Langkamp, M. Houghton, T. Zimmer, L. Bausch, J. Sedbrook, ROW 3: K. Olson, Manager; J. Kirschbaum, R. Vogt, T. Russell, C. Tesch, K. Vogt, SITTING: Miss Hanson, Miss Michels

THE VARSITY TEAM

TOP, PAGE 6: TOP ROW: T. Harris, S. Schauff, C. Mumm, J. Metcalf, ROW 2: N. Mergen, J. Metcalfe, J. Uppena, D. Vaassen, Miss Michels, ROW 3: S. Langkamp, R. Bohringer, K. Okey, T. Eckstein

BOTTOM, PAGE 6: SENIORS: Jean Metcalfe, Tami Harris, Nancy Mergen, Donna Vaassen

VOLLEYBALL SCORES JUNIOR VARSITY

Cassville	4	15	11	Southwestern	15	6	15
Cassville	15	14	15	Boscobel	13	16	8
Cassville	12	16	12	Potosi	15	14	15
Cassville	13	15	14	Southwestern	15	12	16
Cassville	15	15	3	Highland	12	10	15
Cassville	8	7	1	West Grant	15	15	15
Cassville	15	15	6	Shullsburg	1	8	15
Cassville	15	10	15	Benton	11	15	8
Cassville	0	10	12	Bloomington	15	15	15
Cassville	15	10	17	Belmont	12	15	19





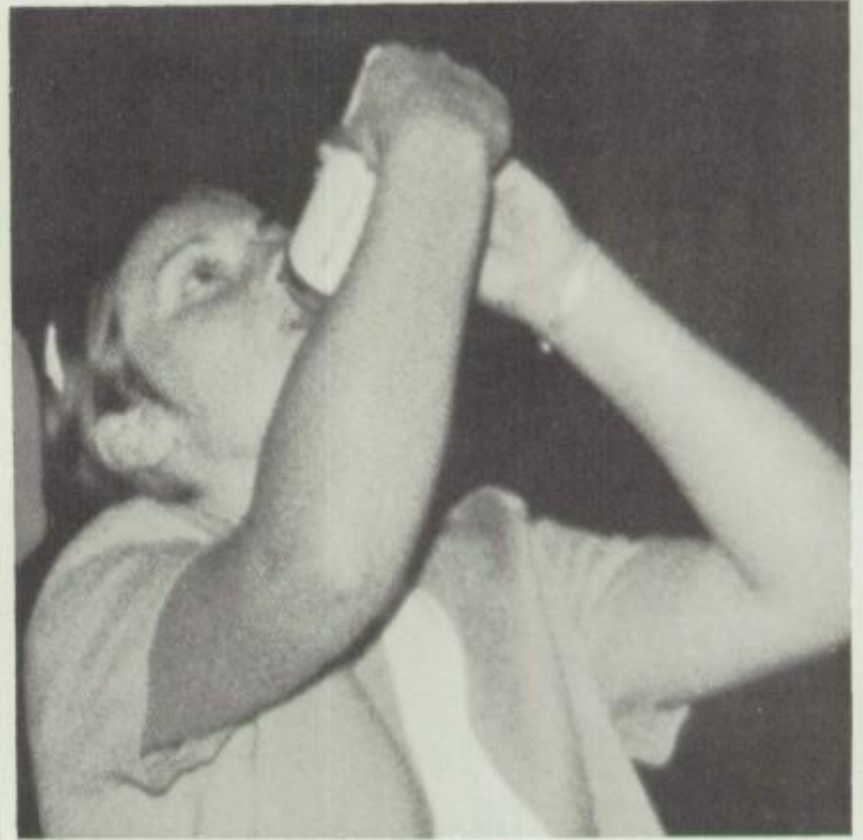
Bubble Gum Champs



Aaay! The Forz!



Winning Junior Skit



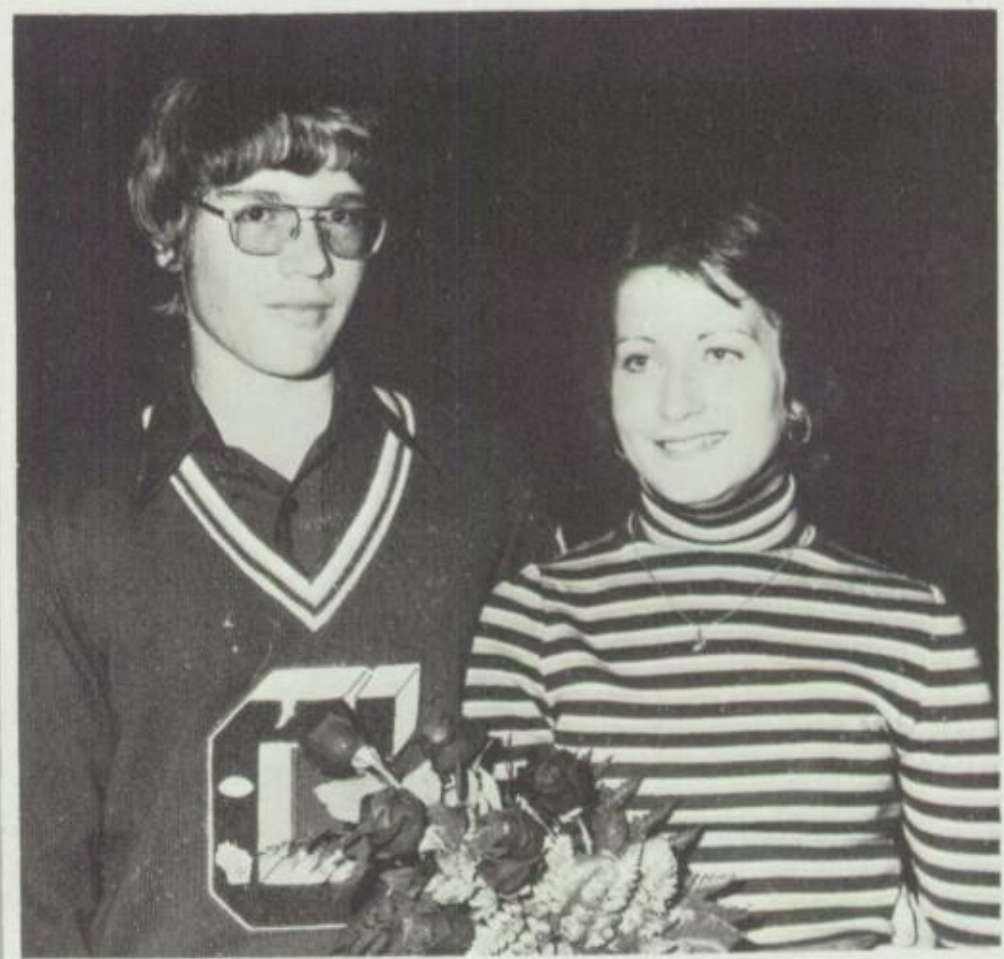
Baby!



Senior Skit



Those Great 50's



Our Homecoming King and Queen-Tom and Nancy



Juniors have the edge!



Seniors try hard!



Defense: R. Bohringer, S. Schauff, J. Kirschbaum, J. Breuer, C. Dexter, M. Morris. BACK-S. Giesen, G. Groom, G. Groom, K. Reynolds, J. Krogman, T. Eckstein, Miss Hanson, E. Richason, K. Hochhausen, R. Stanley, B. Oates, B. Blum



A Roaring Bond Fire.



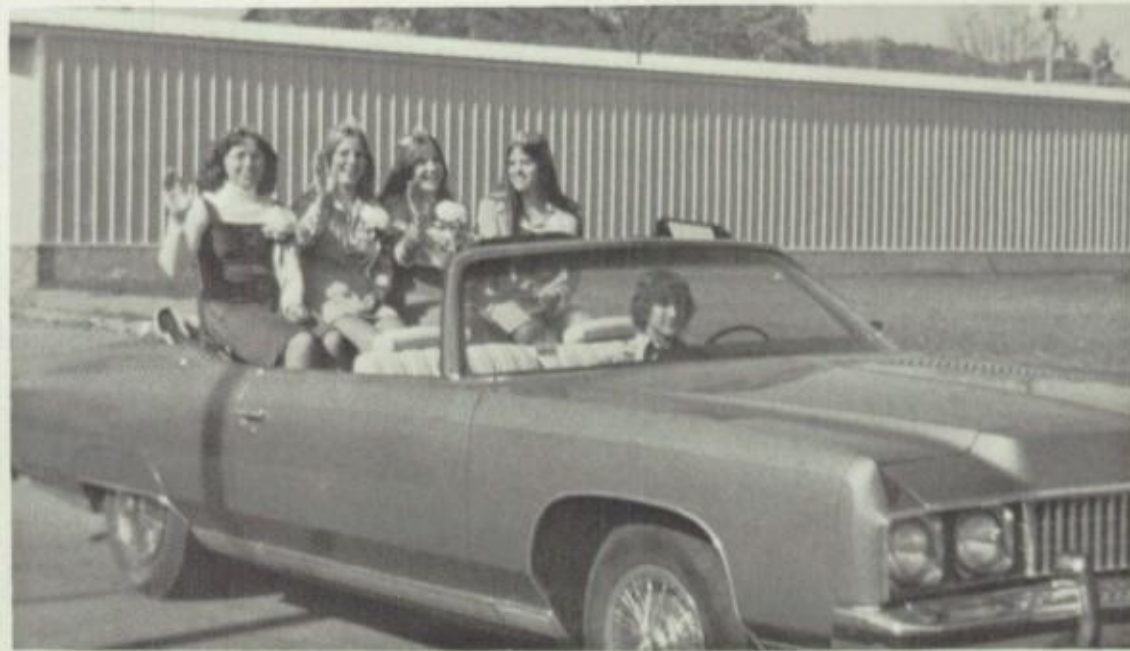
Offense: K. Okey, D. Vaassen, J. Sedbrook, V. Martin, D. Kartman, L. Rod, B. Retallick, S. Langkamp, BACK-B. Blum, E. Zittel, A. Hochhausen, Miss Hanson, D. Ploessl, M. McNett, K. Wood.



Juniors winning window



Mr. Ugly-Dave Junk



1976 Homecoming Royalty



Junior Class Float-Second



The winning Float



Sophomore-Second place



Senior Float



A Gallant Effort



Our Runners: R. Junk, J. Hampton, R. Hampton, S. Williams, O. Morley, Mr. Okey, Coach

Small In Number But Large In Spirit

This year Jim Hampton, the only senior on the cross country squad, made it to sectionals. In the sectional race in Madison, Jim came in seventh.

The Comet Cross Country team was almost non-existent this year. If ten runners did not start the season, there did not seem to be enough interest in the program. Ten runners DID start the season with a lot of energy -- five of them finished.

These guys run, run, and run again. They don't get the recognition they could in other sports, but they have determination and self-pride. Although they didn't win the conference title, they should be commended.

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I'm going to make it



Arsenic And



"You see Miss Brewster . . ."



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On October 21 and 24, 1976, the Cassville High School Drama Club presented the three-act comedy ARSENIC AND OLD LACE in the school gym.

The story is of two charming and innocent ladies who populate their cellar with the remains of socially and religiously "acceptable" roomers. The antics of the Brewster sister's brother, who thinks he is Teddy Roosevelt, and the activities of the other brother Jonathan and his friend, Dr. Einstein, made a very delightful comedy.

The Student directors were Karen Tranchita and Marsha McNett, and teacher directors were Mrs. Audery Benish and Mrs. Connie Larson. Brenda Breuer was the stage manager.

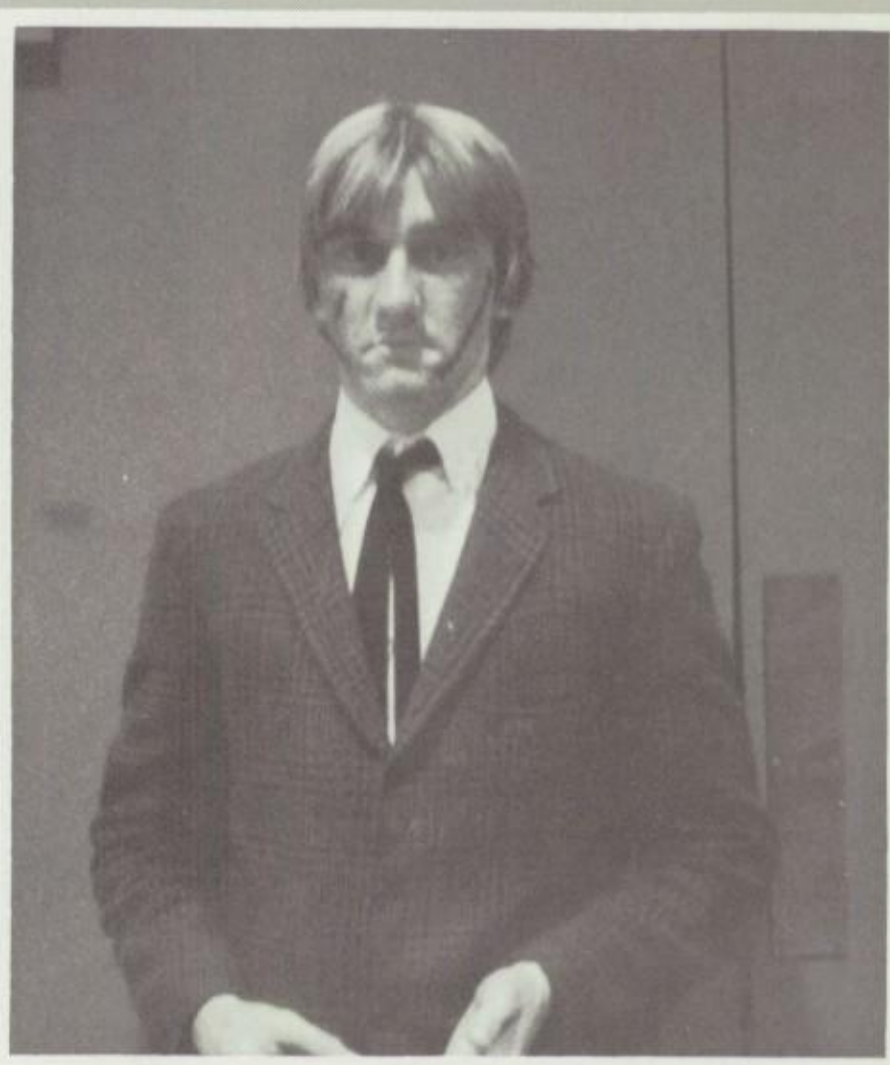
CAST

Abby Brewster	L. Zimmer
Rev. Harper	P. Dietrich
Teddy Brewster	T. Harris
Officer Brophy	M. Pellock
Officer Klein	S. Knox
Martha Brewster	A. Hochhausen
	K. Tesch
Elaine Harper	T. Vosberg
	M. Dietrich
Mortimer Brewster	M. Kirschbaum
Mr. Gibbs	D. Ellner
Jonathan Brewster	T. Bilderback
Dr. Einstein	K. Kuenster
Officer O'Hara	D. Russell
Lieutenant Rooney	W. White
Mr. Witherspoon	B. Haas
Mr. Spenalzo	D. Adrian

Old Lace



"Some wine, Sir?"



"Mean lookin' devil, ain't I?"



"Hey, watch where you're putting that goo!"

At last we've captured the villain



Oh, but darling you promised!



M a r c h i n g



B a n d

The fall of 1976 was another successful marching season for the Comet marching band. The two parades we competed in were Platteville's Dairy Day Parade and Platteville's Homecoming Parade. We received second place in both parades. To complete our marching season we marched in the Potosi, Bloomington and Cassville Homecoming Parades. The marching band also performed during the halftime of the homecoming game. This year's theme was "Women's Lib." With this season's marching coming to an end, we look with anticipation to 1977.



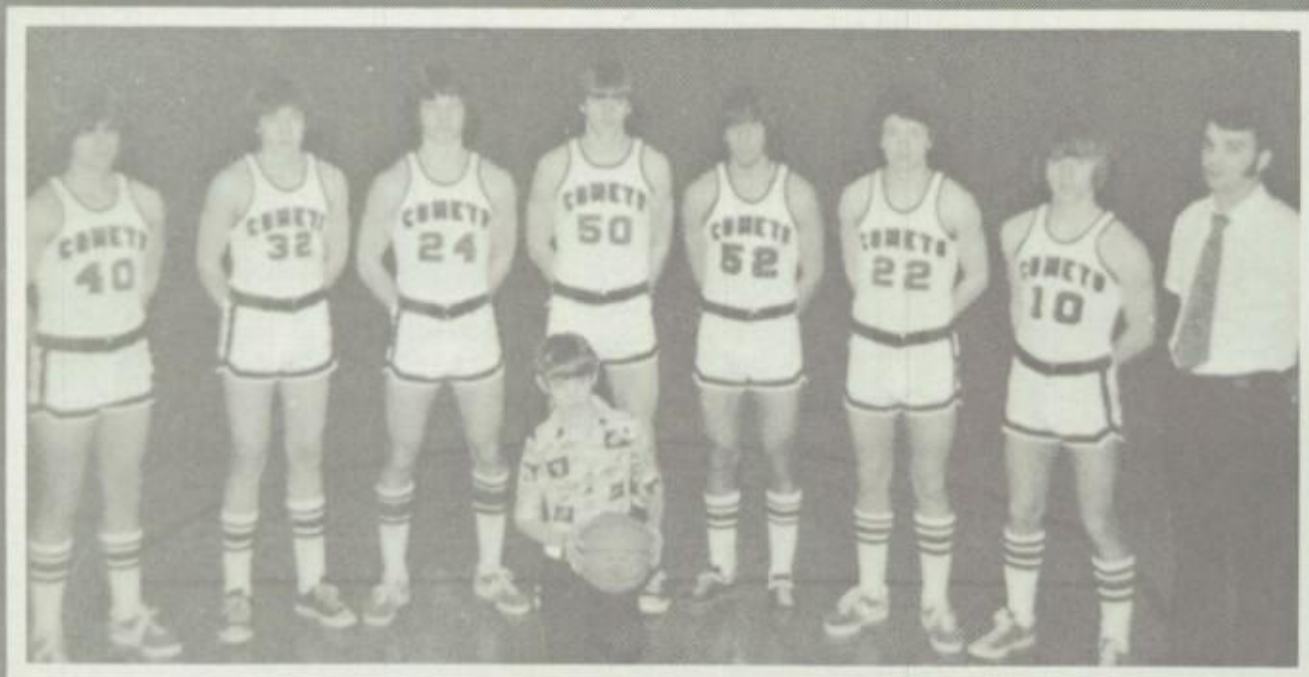
Band In Action

OFFICERS: S. Wood, vice president; N. Mergen, president; J. Upena, band assistant; J. Metcalfe secretary; K. Tranchita band assistant





WINTER



T. Okey, M. Mumm, M. Kirschaum, D. Junk, D. Fure, J. Glass, M. Pellock, Mr. Stemper. Manager: D. Adrian. Missing T. Bilderback and B. Knox.



Fancy Footwork



What's Up



Driving In



Straight Up For Two



One-handed



Break-away

An Exciting Season

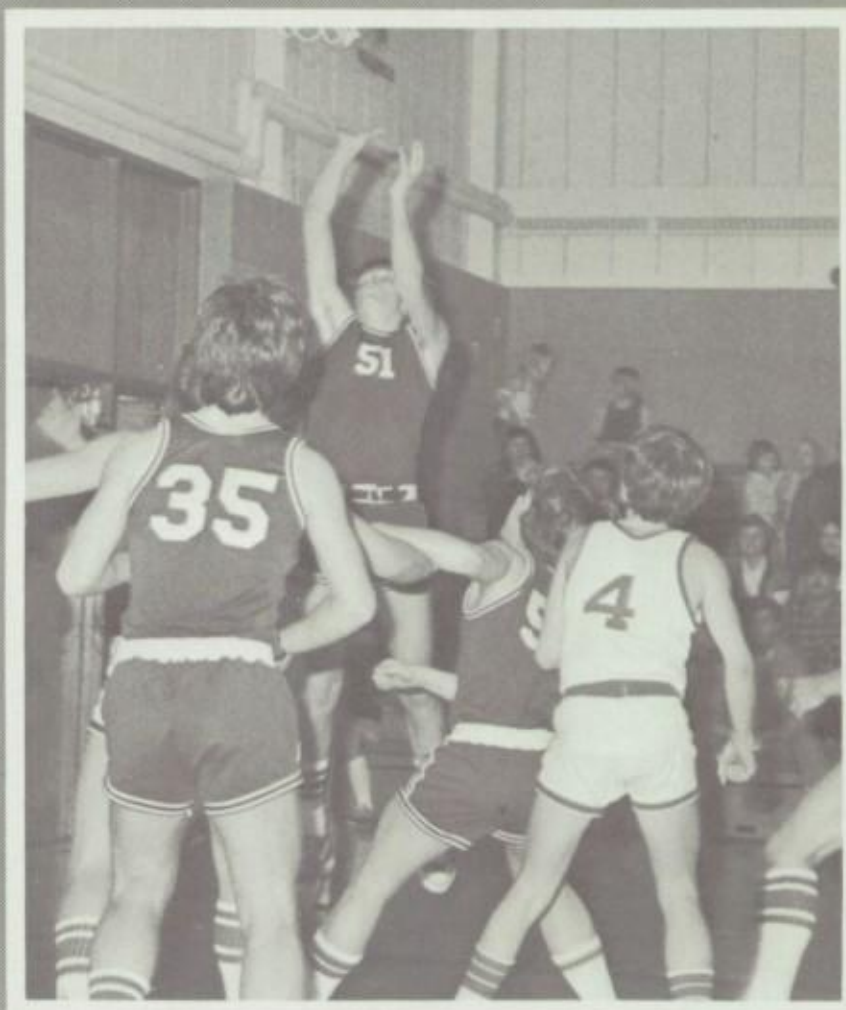


J. V. STANDING: B. Hudson, B. Harris, M. Davidson, B. Haas, D. Saam, J. Mumm, D. Breuer, KNEELING: B. Harris, K. Kuenster, and J. Moris. Missing is O. Morley. and M. Starr.

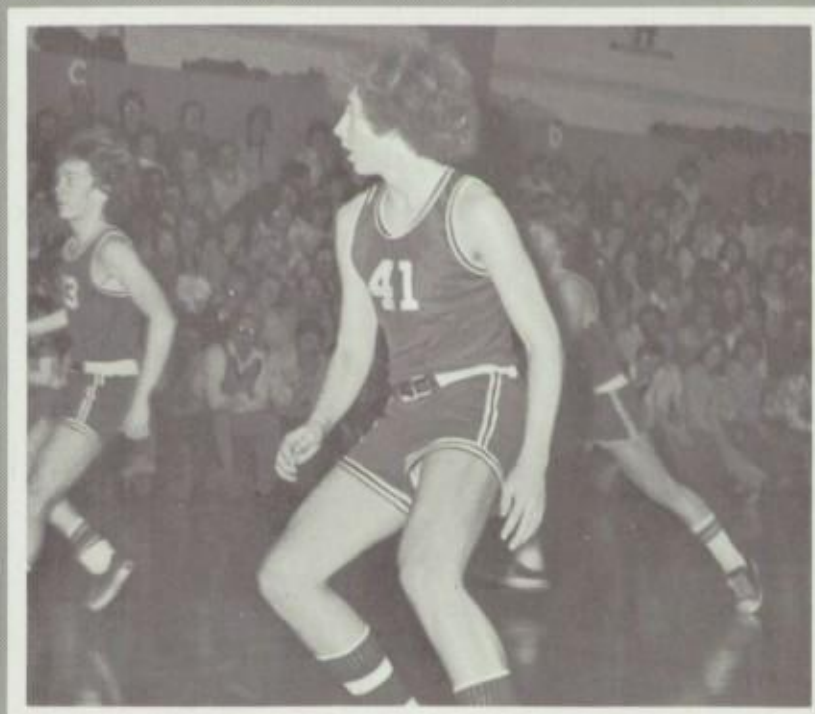
One of the highlights of the past season was the first game against Argyle. Being down by 12 points at the half, things were put together and the team ended on top by 12, out-scoring Argyle 40-16 in the second half. Another highlight, and probably the most memorable for the players, was the Milwaukee Riverside game. Even though we ended upon the short end by one point, 56-55, it was a very exciting experience. We finished 6th in the Blackhawk Conference with an 8-10 record. We were 9-11 overall.

Tournaments: something every fan, player, and coach looks forward to. This season was no exception as the excitement of tournaments filled the air as Cassville hosted the sub-regionals. The Comets defeated Belmont in the first game of the tourney and were looking forward to an exciting showdown with Southwestern. The game was exciting, but we ended up on the short end by 2 points ending all hopes of a trip to LaCrosse.

Although all the team goals weren't fulfilled there were a couple of individuals receiving honors. Dave Junk was named to the second team all-conference and Mike Kirschbaum received honorable mention.



"A sure two points"



Rescue!



It has to be up there somewhere!



Flying High

Will Wonders Never Cease?



FRONT ROW, LEFT TO RIGHT: Kay Okey, Elaine Richardson, Jane Uppena. BACK ROW: Miss Hanson, Sue Langkamp, Laurie Bausch, Tami Harris, Deb Langkamp, Diane Plossel, Janet Kirschbaum, Roberta Bohringer (manager), Sonya Schauff.



The Junior Varsity

The Cassville Comettes placed second in the Blackhawk Conference this season. Their conference record was 6-2 and overall record was 16-5. The J.V. also had a record of 6-2 for the season.

In tournament play this year the Comettes had to play two very tough sub-regional games which they won, and it gave them a birth to regional play. The Comettes suffered a defeat against Benton for the third time this year, and were knocked out of regional action.

Highlights this year were at the end of the season. For the first time All Blackhawk team were announced. Kay Okey placed on the first team. Tami Harris and Jane Uppena were given honorable mention.

The team is only losing one Senior, and with the experience gained from tournaments the squad looks very tough for next year.



"The GANG"

Girls Athletics!



Do The Boogie



It's a steal



"3 stooges"



Bausch and Sue



Tami in for two



HELP

Fun, Fitness, Fatigue . . . Intramurals



Twelvers: Jim Mellon, Stan Wood, Ron Walsh, Rennie Kienitz, Mike Beesecker, Pat Dietrich, Mike Chapman.



Freeloaders: Rod Kirchbaum, Monte Scholl, Kevin Wood, Bill Fure, Greg Kickel, Dan Loppen, Doug Metcalfe, Tim Worsham.

The Refs. Dave Fure, Jeff Glass, Tim Builderback, Mike Kirschbaum



Demons: Tom Rauch, Tim Dean, Tarin Worsham, Tim Reynolds, Brad Vogt, John Dean

Supermen: Don Mergen, Scott Mellon, Bob Donaldson, Rick Van Natta, Pat Ploessl



GIRLS INTRAMURALS . . .



FRONT: M. Chapman, J. Sedbrook, R. Bohringer, B. Oates, R. Stanley, V. Martin, M. Moris, S. Wiest, L. Blum, K. Olson, J. Fried, K. Wood, K. Hochhausen, S. Schauff



Cindy patiently waits as Nola Pitches to Mary

All Kinds Of Action



Can Sonya and Kim do as well as Jane??



Strike One!!

A Promising Year



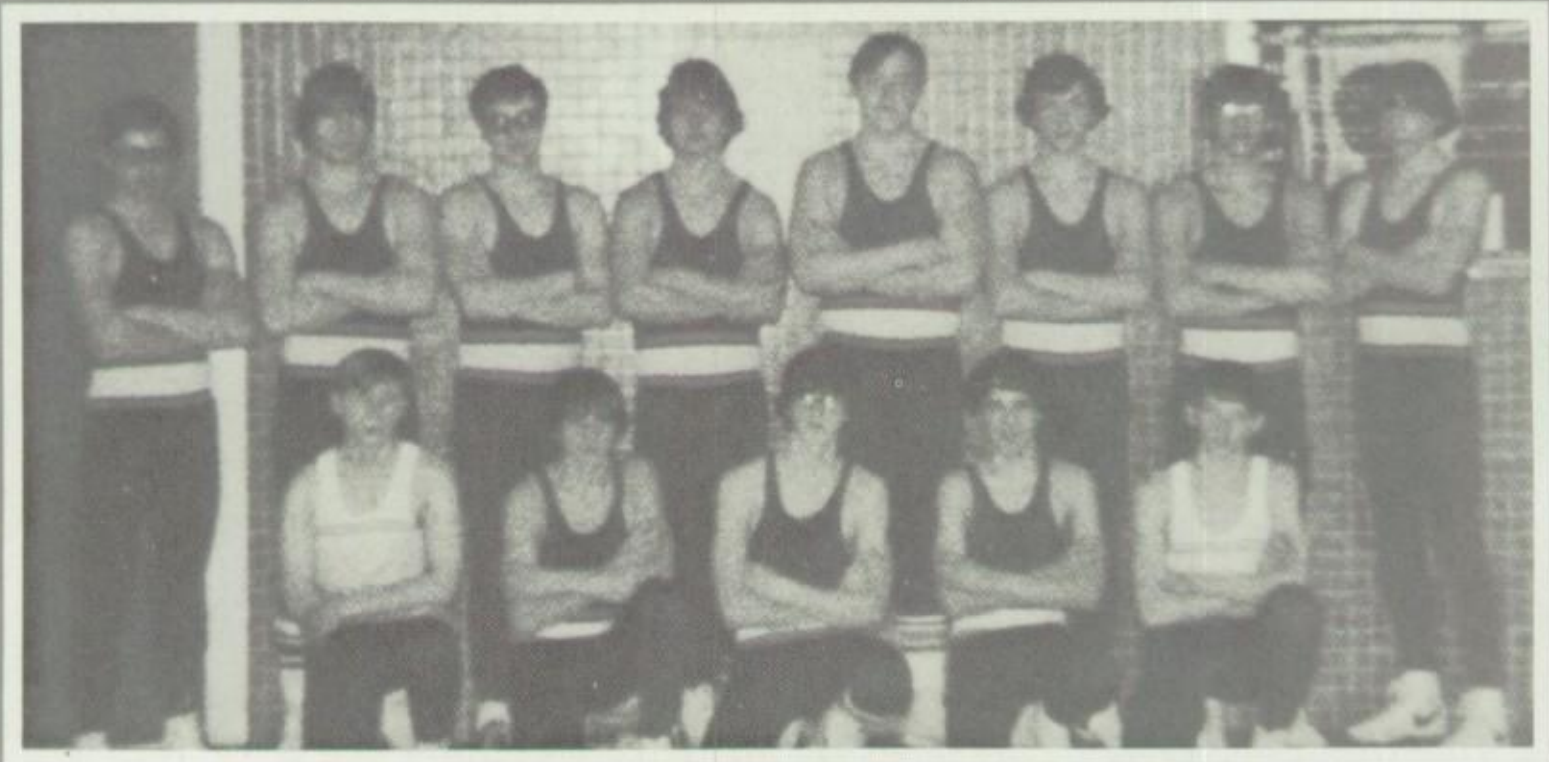
On the opening day of the wrestling season, 18 eager grapplers reported to the mats. 13 of these were freshmen, 2 were sophomores, and 3 were juniors. So you can see the season started with a young team.

The team had dual matches with West Grant, Belmont, Prairie du Chien, Galena, and a tournament at Lancaster. The squad finished the season with a 1-5-1 dual meet record with 4 wrestlers scoring in the tournament at Lancaster.

At sub-regionals, R. Hampton was the only comet to advance on into regionals. With a young green squad, there was nowhere to go but up, and that's exactly where they went. They all showed great improvement as the season progressed. Emerging as the team leaders were Kyle Johnstone, Rick Hampton, Roger Vogt, and Tom Bass. Kyle had a record of 7-4, Rick had 6-6, and Roger took home near fall honors by scoring 7.

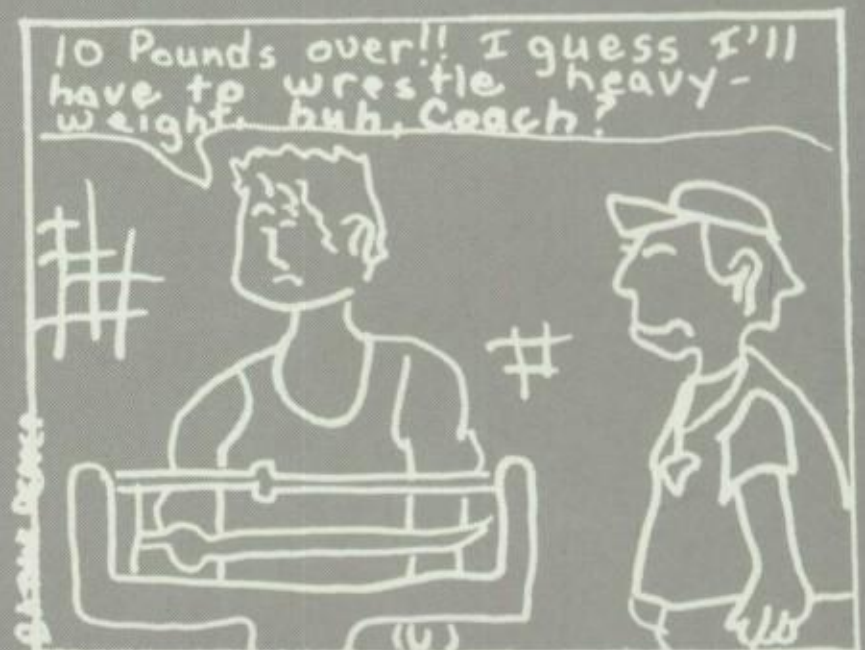
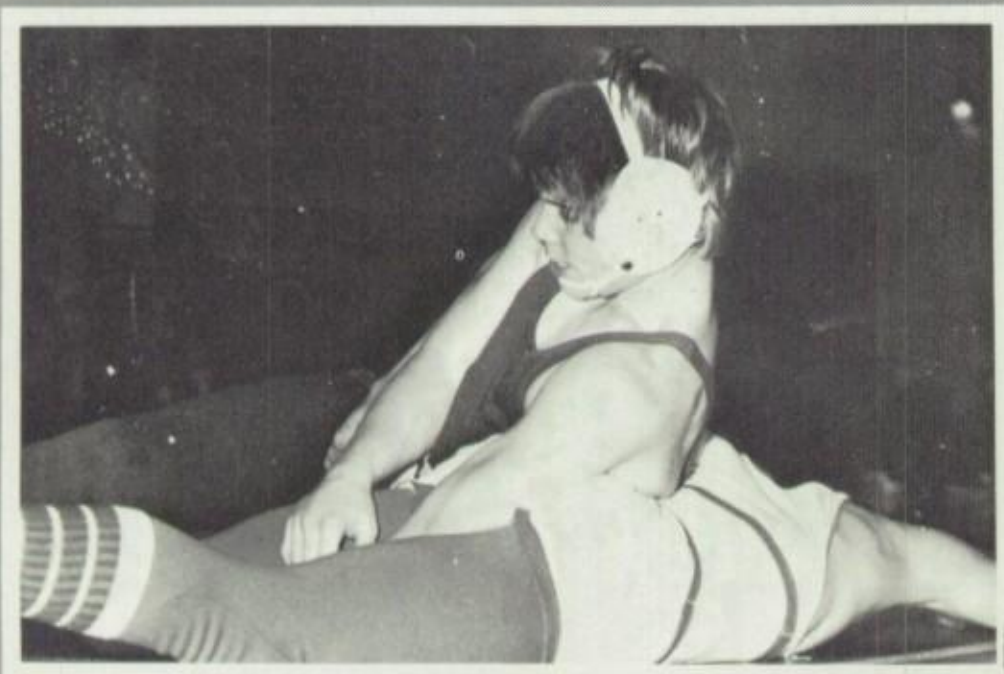


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STANDING: B. Hampton, K. Johnstone, S. Heathman, B. Kaufmann, J. Ploessl, T. Degenhardt, T. Bass, C. Williams, KNEELING: S. Turner, R. Hampton, P. Bausch, R. Vogt, K. Hunk



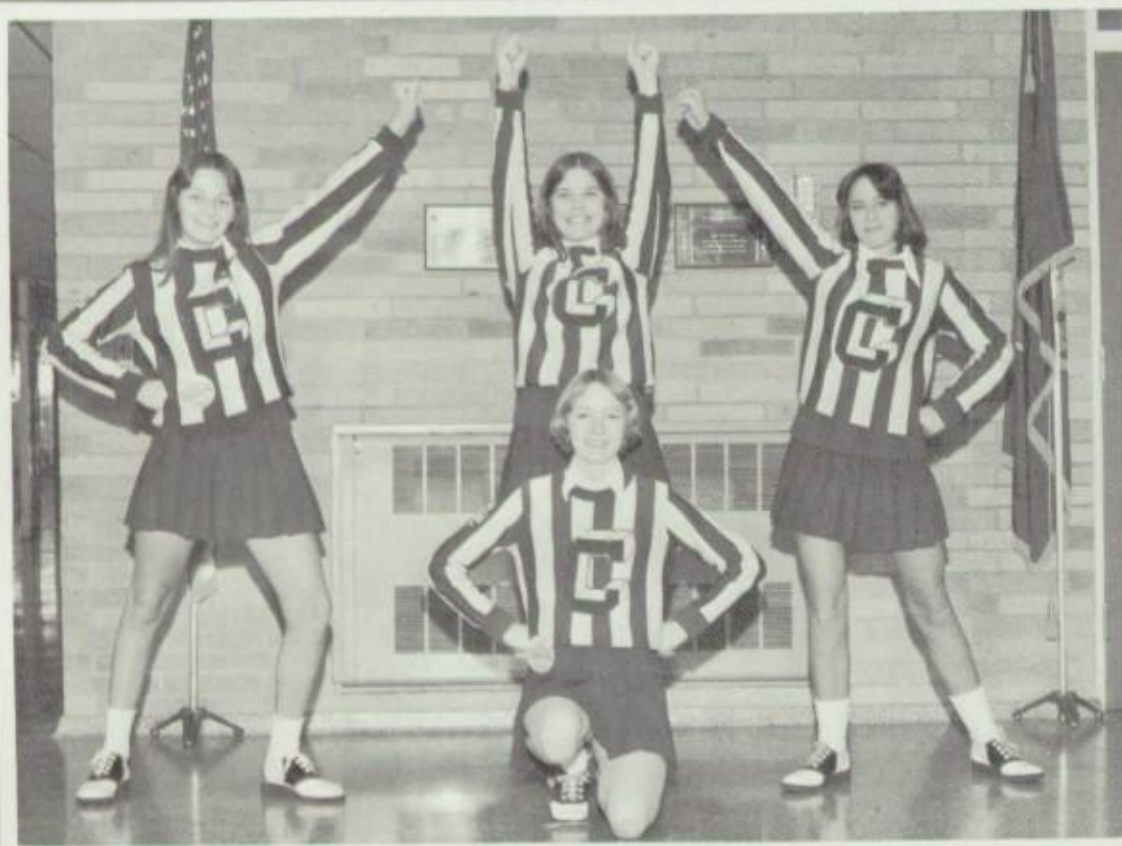
A Time For Spirit



Football Cheerleaders: (BOTTOM TO TOP) M. Dietrich, S. Giesen, D. Vaassen, L. Rod, B. Retallick and J. Kirschbaum.



Varsity Basketball: D. Vaassen, B. Retallick, L. Rod, J. Kirschbaum, and Deb Kartman.



J. V. Basketball: M. Houghton, C. Ames, J. Metcalf, J. Tranchita. (Missing-K. Raisback)



Wrestling J. Breuer, S. Giesen, J. Sedbrook.



Hard at work!!!!

The cheerleaders were under a new adviser this year, Mr. Klauer. They spent many nights after school making posters and hoops for the team to run through, and cheered our team to a successful season.

A large collage of black and white photographs capturing various sports moments. The images include basketball players in action, a football player in a helmet, a referee in a striped shirt, and students participating in track and field events. The photos are arranged in a dense, overlapping grid, showcasing the athletic achievements of the school.



SPRING

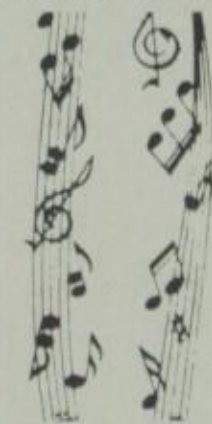
Concert



WOODWINDS ROW 1: B. Retallick, N. Mergen, M. Kann, S. Wood, E. Zittel, D. Kartman. ROW 2: T. Eckstein, J. Krogman, C. White, V. Richason, J. Breuer, L. Bierman, J. Noll. ROW 3: J. Kirschbaum, S. Shaben, S. Heathman, J. Metcalfe, D. Mumm.



WOODWINDS ROW 1: C. Zimmer, C. Mumm, K. Okey, J. Tranchita, L. Bausch. ROW 2: L. Lawrence, L. Rod, J. Steil, M. McNett, G. Groom, S. Adrian. ROW 3: K. Tranchita, K. Noll, D. Vaassen, S. Okey.



PEP BAND ROW 1: A. Hochhausen, K. Okey, T. Harris, D. Adrian. ROW 2: C. Mumm, J. Uppena, D. Langkamp, T. Zimmer, L. Bierman, J. Steil. ROW 3: L. Lawrence, P. Breuer, S. Okey, K. Olson, N. Kann. ROW 4: K. Noll, L. Bausch, C. Ames, S. Langkamp, C. Zimmer, N. Mergen, M. Kann, J. Metcalfe, J. Noll. ROW 5: D. Metcalf, B. Metcalf, J. Steil, A. Bausch, P. Ames.



Band



UPPER BRASS ROW 1: N. Kann, T. Zimmer, S. Langkamp, S. Schauff, C. Ames. ROW 2: J. Ploessl, K. McNett, L. Zittel, K. Olson, R. Bohringer, J. Kirschbaum, P. Breuer. ROW 3: B. Metcalf, J. Moris, D. Metcalf, B. Haas, K. Kuenster. Missing: B. Oates.



BRASS AND PERCUSSION ROW 1: D. Breuer, D. Langkamp, J. Metcalf, A. Hochhausen, A. Bausch. ROW 2: J. Steil, J. Uppena, K. Hochhausen, P. Ames, S. Soule, M. Kirschbaum. ROW 3: J. Glass, T. Harris, C. Williams, D. Adrian. Missing: K. Tesch, K. Junk, R. Bausch.



The CHS Concert Band had a very busy and successful year. It all started on September 21 when over half of the band went to Glen Haven for the REA District Meeting. Not long after, the Drama Club presented the play, "Arsenic and Old Lace," for which the band provided some music. On Veteran's Day, a program was presented for the public. There were speeches, tributes, and we added some patriotic music. With snow and cold weather comes Christmas, and our Christmas Concert. The concert band put on two concerts - one for the public and one for the high school students. Then came vacation, which was sure welcome by all.



March 25, 1977 gave us another chance to show our talents at the Farm and Home Show at Lancaster. We attracted quite a crowd. Part of the band entertained the Women's Club that month, also. It was that time of year again...Contest, which meant work. The band put on a Pre-Contest Concert, including music that would have ordinarily went into a Spring Pops Concert, also. Band Contest was held at Benton on April 30, and under the fine hands of our director, Mr. Klauer, we came home with a nice, big FIRST. The band then presented two fun concerts for the Public Grade School and St. Charles Grade School. The future freshmen even had a chance to play with us. It really proved to be a fun and exciting year. Nancy Mergen was recipient of the 1977 John Philip Sousa Award.



Chorus



ROW 1: M. Kann, S. Heathman, S. Knox, M. Moris, C. Tennessen, M. Dietrich, T. Vosberg, J. Tranchita,
ROW 2: K. Tranchita, K. Kirschbaum, S. Pitzen, S. Shiffman, R. Rauch, R. Fure, K. Tesch, J. Hochhausen,
J. Chapman, J. Chapman, S. Callahan, ROW 3: T. Harris, S. Wood, S. Blum, B. Esser, C. White, S. Glass-
maker, S. Okey, P. Bausch, D. Murray, L. Fure, Mrs. Bernhardt.



Tami Harris received the National School Choral award.



Sue Pitzen sold the most pizzas.



Mark Kann was the piano accompanist.



Hi There!

The choral program began in August. Our officers were: President, Tami Harris; Vice-President and Student Council Rep., Julie Chapman; Secretary-Treasurer, Kathy Kirshbaum; Librarians, Julie Hochhausen, Scott Knox and Robin Fure.

We sang publicly as a unit for the first time on Veteran's Day. At Christmas time we sang for the women at St. Charles Church. With the Grade School chorus, we sang at the Christmas Concert.

When we weren't singing, we were selling pizzas and very successfully too. Sue Pitzen sold the most pizzas and has been enshrined in our Pizzas Hall of Fame.

At solo and ensemble, the chorus members as members of soloists and as members of ensembles, represented Cassville very well. We came home with eight firsts, five seconds and one third.

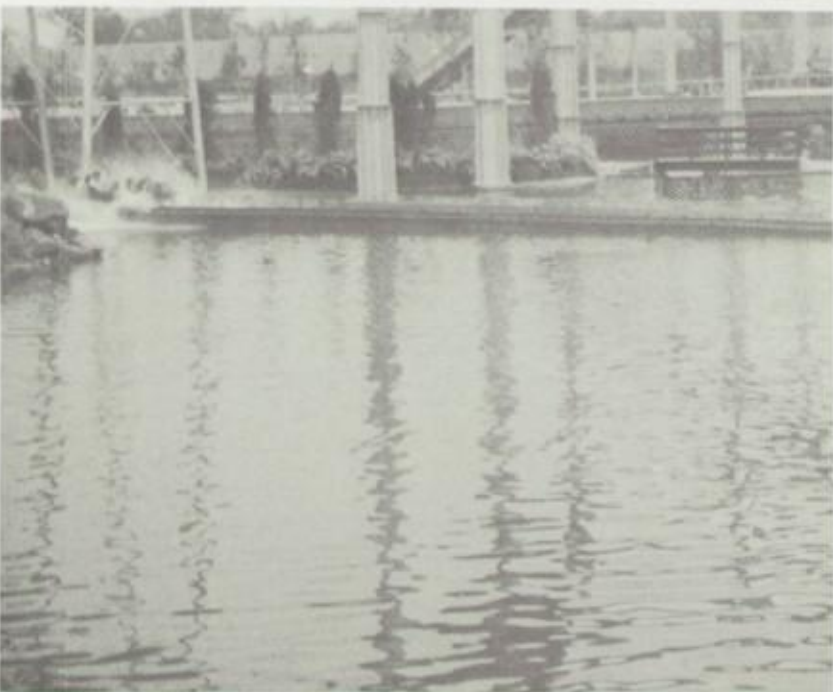
Choral Contest was at Wauseka. We returned with a second in Class B. We were disappointed but shook aside this disappointment and prepared for our part in the Fine Arts Fair. For it, we sang our contest numbers and did a swing choir number with a dance routine. It was fun and entertaining.

On May 14, the chorus drove to Guernsey, Ill. for a day at Great America. It was a fitting way to end the school year.

Tami Harris was named the recipient of the National Choral award. This award was presented at the All Music Banquet which was held on Sunday, May 15.



What a long line!



SPLASH!!!!!!!!!!



Work sure is tiring!

Rainbow In



The court for the 1977 Prom were: Miniature King and Queen Mike Ploessl and Melanie Mumm, Doris Vaassen and Kyle Johnstone, Brenda Blum and Tom Okey, Sonya Schauff and Marty Mumm, Queen Marsha McNett and King Brian Knox, Kim Hochhausen and Rod Kirschbaum, Deb Kartman and Steve Blum and Scott Wood.

1977 Junior Prom



Queen Marsha McNett and King Brian Knox



Miniature Queen Melanie Mumm and Miniature King Mike Ploessl

Your Eyes



The Lawrence Welk Show?



Hurry up! We're waiting!



Want some?



Better than Aunt Jemima's!!



Punch and bars were served by Joy Noll and Sandy Okey.

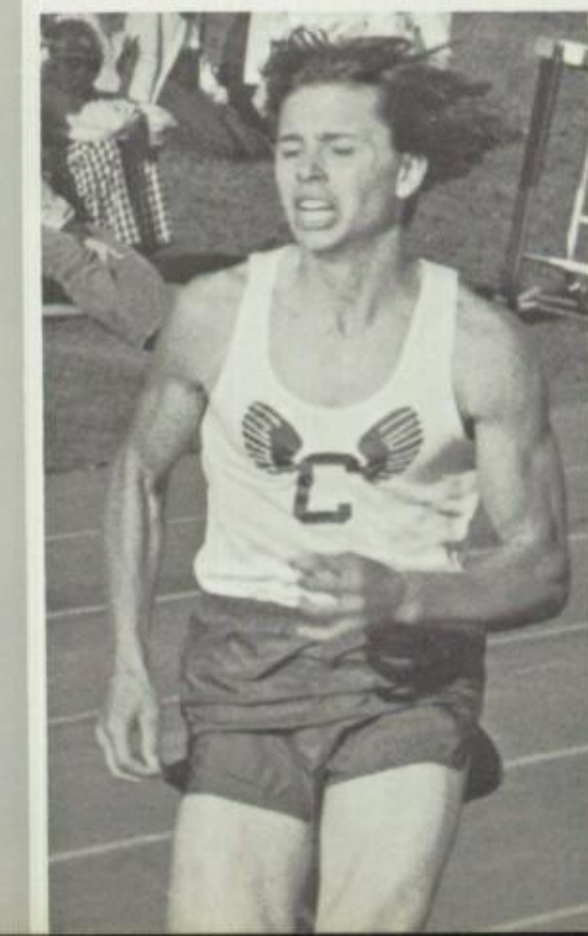


Working on the prom decorations began on Monday. Many hard workers put in their time throughout the week. As the night drew near, the excitement grew with the anticipation of who the king and queen would be. When the night finally arrived, the dancing floor was full of dancers dancing to the music of The Paul Hemmer Orchestra. Following Prom there were breakfasts and get-togethers that were enjoyed by all.

Boys And Girls



The boys track squad was very young again this year. The only records broken this season were by M. Kirschbaum in the discus, and in a new event S. Breese took the 330 hurdles. At the Blackhawk conference meet held at Darlington the boys placed 3rd with a total of 66 points. Taking firsts were-M. Kirschbaum-440 and 880 yard run, mile relay; 2nds-880 relay, S. Breese-330 hurdles, J. Glass 220; 3rds-T. Bilderback 120 high hurdles; 4ths-K. Johnstone shot put, M. Kirschbaum discus, T. Bilderback high jump. At Regionals 4 boys qualified in three events. At the Sectional meet held at Kickapoo people qualifying for state were the Mile Relay team and M. Kirschbaum in the 880 yard run. Despite not being able to compete T. Finney and all the other seniors will be missed.



Track 1977



The girls track team this year had a very successful season. The track squad was made up of mostly underclassmen. Breaking records this year were the 880 relay team; the 440 relay team; J. Uppena -- shot put and C. White -- 220 hurdles, which is a new event. At the Blackhawk Conference Meet held at Darlington the Cassville Comettes placed 2nd with a total of 85 points. Firsts were the 880 relay, C. White, Mile relay; 2nds were C. White, A. Hochhausen, M. McNett, T. Harris, 3rds were G. Caley, 440 relay, J. Uppena, K. Okey. At Regional competition we qualified 8 girls in 3 events. C. White took 1st, the Mile relay took 3rd, and the 880 relay took 4th. The team is losing one senior, so next year proves to be a good season.



Baseball 1976



Nice job Mike!



I got it! I got it!



Just throw it here!



This is serious boys!



We're all smiles!



He's safe!



Here it comes!



It must be a hit!

AN EXCITING SEASON

The Cassville High School summer baseball team, though not winning many regular season games, was one which worked hard and had a lot of fun doing it. The regular season record for the Comets was 4 wins and 12 losses. In addition to the regular league games, the Comets traveled and played such teams as Iowa-Grant, Blackhawk, and Lancaster. After the regular season, Cassville hosted Bloomington in the Regional finals. The Comets soundly defeated the Jays 12 to 1. Cassville then traveled to Lancaster for the Sectionals, where they met Darlington in the first game. The Comets put forth a furious rally in the 7th and went on to defeat Darlington nine to eight. The Comets then had the task of playing Lancaster for the Sectional Championship and a trip to the State tournament. Playing one of their best games of the season, Cassville gave Lancaster a run for their money, but fell one run short of a state berth, losing to Lancaster 4 to 3. For the season, Roger Schauff led the Cassville Hitting Attack with a .541 batting average. Mark Haas led in home runs with five. Jeff Glass stole 17 bases to lead the team while Tim Bilderback and Del Koelker tied for the coveted title of strikeout king with 16.

Sports Awards



Tami Harris-Basketball, Miss Hanson, Nancy Mergen-Volleyball



Dave Junk-Football, Basketball



Jim Hampton-Cross Country



Kyle Johnstone-Wrestling

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Guest Speaker



Mr. Russ Hellickson

Other awards given to people who were not present:

Ann Okey-Track and Field
Tim Gehde-Track and Field
Roger Schauff-Baseball



Biology class participates in "Trees for Tomorrow"



The Newspaper Staff-an assemblyline

Class Activities



John Mellon demonstrates pottery-making at the Art Show



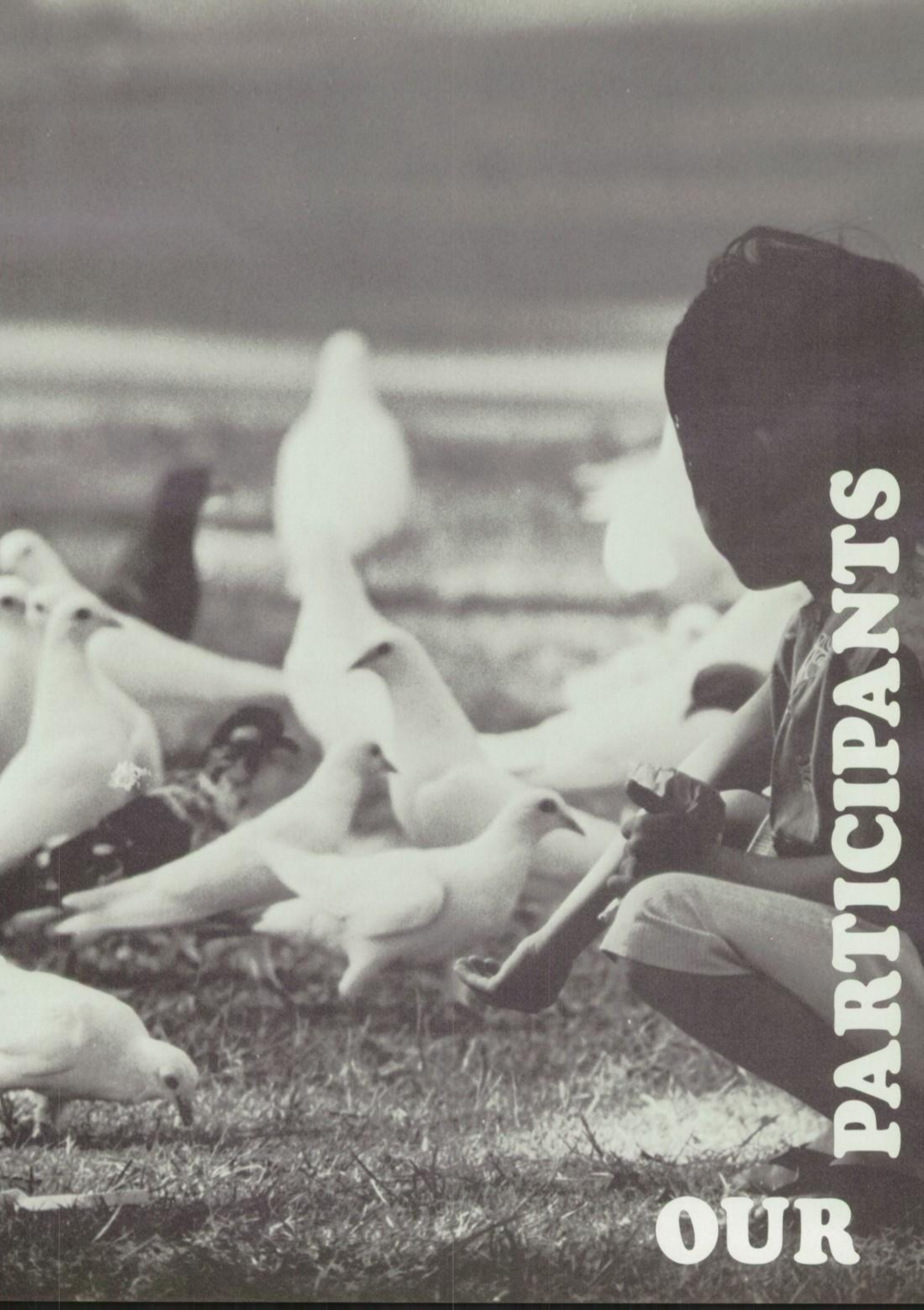
Boys show the girls how to bake



Government Day at Lancaster



Office practice at the Bank



PARTICIPANTS

OUR

The "Loyal" Staff



The Editors Contemplating



Chowing down on our remains



Don't Bug Us!!



Which one??



Miss Michels-The Trooper



Now Let's See?!!

Active members of the Annual Staff are Karen Tranchita, Jean Metcalfe, Kathy Noll, Jane Uppena, Brenda Retallick, Karen Olson, Joy Noll, Sandy Okey, Leah Bierman, Kay Okey, Jane Sedbrook, Doris Vaassen, Ann Hochhausen, Tish Zimmer, Peggy Breuer, Cindy Mumm, Laurie Bausch, Elaine Zittel.

Some of the projects the Annual Staff have done were: a Turkey raffle at Thanksgiving, a Cheese and Sausage Sale, and a Side-walk Bake Sale.



Selling the Yearbooks



The Faithful Jr. Editors.

Our Leaders



L. TO R. Pres. M. Kirschbaum, B. Harris, K. Johnstone, B. Haas, C. Ames, M. McNett-Sec. Treas., C. Mumm, Advisor-Miss Satola, S. Adrian, Vice Pres. S. Wood, J. Chapman. Missing Ann Hochhausen.



L. TO R. D. Mumm, D. Breuer, S. Langkamp, D. Vaassen, L. Zimmer, M. McNett, D. Vaassen, D. Kartman, K. Okey.



N.H.S. Officers: Sec.-Treas. D. Mumm, L. Zimmer, Pres. K. Okey, Vice Pres.

The 1976-77 school year for the Nelson Dewey Chapter of the National Honor Society consisted of renting out the tape player for sock hops, having concessions, and ushering at Senior Awards Night and Graduation. The big event of the year was the new members joined N. H. S. Lucretia Zimmer was master of ceremonies, with Doris Vaassen, Kay Okey, Marsha McNett, and Dan Mumm speaking on Leadership, Scholarship, Service, and Character.

National Honor Society Student Council

The Student Council of 1976-77 began the year with support and planning of Homecoming, planning an entire week of events, and collecting donations for prizes.

The next event was Christmas, with the outstanding cooperation of the student body, we had a day of fun and relaxation, for the anticipation of the up coming holiday.

The student council also dealt with such problems as destruction of private property and how to handle it. Also noon hour activities, such as music being provided in the gym, for a little entertainment.

Other activities were planned, but because of shortage of funds and a heavy calendar, they could not be fulfilled.

We hope with next years class elections, we will have an even more responsible and dedicated group who will strive to put across the feelings of the student body and set an example for the spirit of our school.



New Members BACK ROW: M. Kann, P. Breuer, E. Zittel, J. Kirschbaum, J. Uppena, C. Tesch, N. Mergen, K. Noll, L. Bausch, R. Kirschbaum. SITTING: C. Ames, C. Mumm, D. Langkamp, L. Zimmer.

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KNEELING L. TO R: J. Hampton, R. Mumm, STANDING: G. Ley, N. Seng, Mr. Blakely, 2ND ROW: D. Kirschbaum, B. Hampton, G. Yunk, T. Miles, J. Mumm, K. Junk, R. Bausch, B. Hampton, R. Hampton, B. Ploessl, 3RD ROW: J. Breuer, T. Bass, D. Gieson, R. Junk, R. Kirschbaum, R. Vogt, D. Langkamp, L. Kirschbaum, P. Bausch, S. Adams, P. Reynolds, 4TH ROW: W. White, T. Reynolds, E. Schauff, S. Breese, A. White, J. Cornell, D. Mumm, B. Kauffman, A. Bausch, J. Moris, D. Breuer, Missing T. Hess.



FFA Officers: L. TO R. J. Hampton-Pres., N. Seng, Sec., Mr. Blakely-Advisor, G. Yunk-Sentinel, G. Ley-V. Pres., R. Mumm-Treas., Missing T. Hess-Reporter.



Jim Moris was a speaking contestant at the District Creed Contest.

FFA

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Year

Each year the Cassville FFA Chapter sets goals, undertakes a program of work and endeavors to reach those goals through the development of agricultural leadership, cooperation, and citizenship.

One of the main objectives in this years program was to encourage the development of individual farming programs toward establishment in an agriculture career. Toward that end the Chapter sought out, obtained, and presented to our President, Jim Hampton a purebred Holstein heifer with the genetic capabilities of producing over 700 pounds of butterfat per year.

Another enterprise project found John Mumm the recipient of a purebred Angus heifer, the off-spring of a calf presented to Kent Okey an FFA member some years ago.

During the course of the year corn production (the pop-pin kind) continued to be the breadwinner for the FFA. Also the selling of fruit became a success.

Greenhand Jim Moris, distinguished himself as a public speaking contestant in the District Creed Contest, hosted by the Cassville Chapter.

The State FFA Judging Contest held in Madison saw Cassville represented by three teams, namely, Crops, Meat Animals, and Dairy. Those members representing Cassville were; Roy Mumm, Rick Junk, Randy Kirschbaum, John Mumm, Dan Breuer, Roger Vogt, Dan Langkamp, Rick Hampton, Jim Moris, and Warren White.

Vice President Gene Ley and Secretary, Neill Seng were chosen delegates to the State FFA Convention held in Green Lake. Gene and Sentinel Gary Yunk were delegated to the National FFA Convention in Kansas City.

Finally at the end of the year, they held their annual FFA Awards Banquet. This brought together 150 parents and friends of the FFA.



John Mumm recipient of heifer



FFA Proficiency Award winners L. TO. R. G. Yunkswine; T. Hess-dairy; G. Ley-beef; and A. White-horsemanship.



D. Mumm-Star FFA Greenhand award winner; Gerald Yunk-Cassville Honorary Chapter Farmer; J. Hampton-Star Chapter Farmer Award winner.

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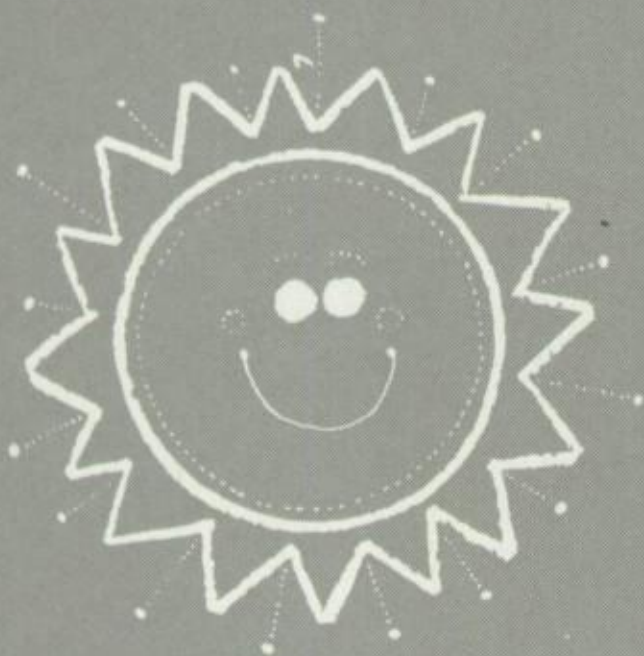
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"The Book Nook"



BACK ROW: V. Martin, B. Breuer, M. Olson, J. Sedbrook, E. Richason, B. Retallick, L. Rod, B. Oates, S. Kirschbaum, M. Moris, S. Geison, R. Stanley, J. Breuer. FRONT: K. Tesch, K. Tranchita, M. Dietrich, S. Wood, T. Vosberg, K. Kirschbaum, T. Harris, Mrs. Benish.



A Place Of
Sunshine ...
Knowledge ...
Learning ...
The Library!

With Kathy Tesch as President, the Library Club has had many educational and social activities. For education, the members attended the SWASL Conference in Highland and performed routine duties in the library. Some of the social activities were a Christmas Party, a Picnic, and a Lancaster Theater Party.



Mrs. Benish, M. Dietrich-Treas., T. Vosberg-S.C., K. Kirschbaum-Sec., K. Tranchita-V. Pres. K. Tesch-Pres.

Drama Club



FIRST ROW--B. Breuer, C. Zimmer, C. Ames, T. Zimmer, J. Krogman, T. Eckstein, D. Kartman, D. Vaassen:
SECOND ROW--M. Dietrich, S. Wood, K. Tesch, K. Kirschbaum, T. Harris, J. Metcalfe, T. Vosberg, M. Mc-
Nett, D. Vaassen, A. Hochhausen, R. Bohringer: THIRD ROW--Mrs. Larson, W. White, B. Haas, M. Kirschbaum,
T. Bilderback, D. Ellner, D. Russell, P. Dietrich, K. Kuenster, M. Pellock, S. Knox, Mrs. Benish.



DRAMA CLUB OFFICERS--Tami Vosberg, Student Council;
Tami Harris, Vice-President; Cree Zimmer, Secretary; Jean
Metcalfe, Treasurer; Karen Tranchita, President; Ann Hoch-
hausen, Student Council.

The members of the Drama Club participated in a night of fun after the fatigue and hard work they put into their production of "Arsenic and Old Lace." They enjoyed a pot luck lunch followed by exciting games of volleyball and such.

For the Forensics contest at Cassville, a one-act play was put together by the Club. Members of the cast of the play, "If Girls Ask Boys For Dates," were Kevin Kuenster, Warren White, Sonya Schauff, Joyce Kirschbaum, and Roberta Bohringer.

One last event in their past years' calendar was their trip to the University of Wisconsin-Platteville. They attended the three act comedy, "Charlie's Aunt," which was presented by the University's Pioneer Players.



Forensics

V O I C E,
P O I S E

BACK ROW: A. Hochhausen, T. Eckstein, L. Rod, Mrs. Benish, S. Langkamp. ROW 3: J. Moris, R. Bohringer, E. Richason, D. Vaassen, S. Schauff, J. Kirschbaum, C. Zimmer, K. Ranchita, C. Tesch, B. Ledbury, J. Breuer, M. Kann, K. Kuenster, ROW 2: D. Langkmap, J. Kirschbaum, D. Langkamp, S. Knox, K. Olson, P. Breuer, M. McNett, T. Zimmer, ROW 1: J. Kuenster. Missing: K. Tesch, D. Russell, B. Haas



LEFT TO RIGHT: Janet Krogman, Ann Hochhausen, Kathy Tesch, Tish Zimmer, Peggy Beuer, SITTING: Sue Langkamp

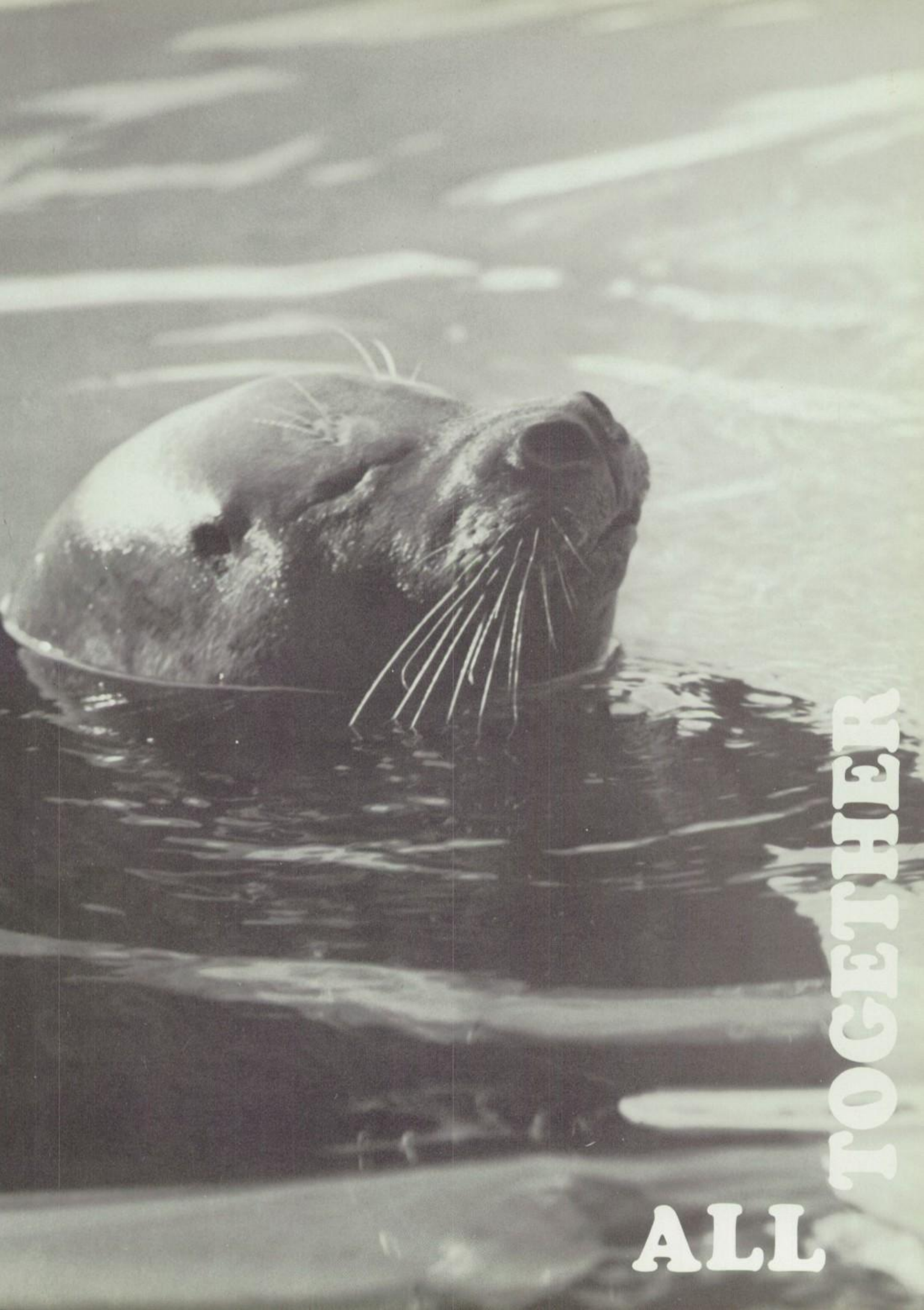
Many students went out for forensics this year. Out of these members, 26 students went to West Grant for the regional contest. From there, 13 students advanced to Platteville for sub-regionals. Six then proceeded to Madison, where five A's were received.

Each contestant is evaluated on deliverance of speech, eye contact, poise, movement, gestures, voice, material and organization of that material.

Forensics is an individual, as well as group activity which enables the students to be creative, to acquire poise, to attain research and communication skills.

M O V E M E N T
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TOGETHER

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Freshman Class



Steve Adams
Darin Adrian
Sue Adrian
Phil Ames
Tom Bass



Peter Bausch
Rick Bausch
Leah Bierman
Laurie Blum
Charlene Breuer



Dan Breuer
Zelda Breuer
Brett Budd
Jackie Chapman
Mark Davidson



Tim Degenhardt
Bob Donaldson
Joe Eckstein
Lori Fishnick
Lisa Fure



Robin Fure
Sue Gehde
Dan Giesen
Sandy Glassmaker
Cindy Hampton



Rick Hampton
Bobby Harris
Steve Heathman
Kevin Junk
Pam Kafan

Of 1980



Nola Kann
Rennie Kienitz
Dick Kirschbaum
Scott Knox
Dan Langkamp



Lisa Lawrence
Karen McNett
Scott Mellon
Tim Miles
Jim Moris



Ocean Morley
Betty Mumm
Brenda Mumm
Deb Mumm
John Mumm



John Murray
Joy Noll
Sandy Okey
Karen Olson
Jamie Ploessl



Jay Ploessl
Bill Ploessl
Brenda Potter
Kathy Raisbeck
Becky Rauch



Pete Reynolds
Vickie Richason
Jeanne Roschi
Thersa Russel
David Saam



Steve Schiffman
Mark Schleicher
Monte Scholl
Sheri Shaben
Joe Steil



Julie Steil
Jenny Tranchita
Steve Turner
Kathy Vogt
Roger Vogt



Robin Walsh
Cheryl White
Sandy Wiest
Clayton Williams
Stan Wood



Lisa Zittel

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Sophomore Class



Rick Ackerman
Chris Ames
Laurie Bausch
Ron Bausch
Shawn Beesecker



Virginia Bradley
Peggy Breuer
Rob Breuer
Gloria Caley
Sue Callahan



Mary Chapman
Mike Chapman
Dan Köppen
Tim Dean
Pat Dietrich



John Fried
Joann Fried
Brian Haas
Bill Hampton
Brian Harris



Kathy Hauk
Mary Houghton
Bob Hudson
Janet Kirschbaum
Larry Kirschbaum



Shirley Kirschbaum
Jackie Koelker
Kevin Kuenster
Debbie Langkamp
Barb Ledbury

Halfway To Heaven



Bob Meier
Don Mergen
Joe Mergen
Jean Metcalf
Cindy Mumm



Dion Nemitz
Kathy Noll
Suzi Okey
Mitch Pellock
Pat Ploessl



Tom Rauch
Jodi Roschi
Jim Rouse
Sharon Schiffman
Jamie Scholl



Lori Shaben
Mike Starr
Connie Tesch
Mike Udelhoven
Jane Uppena



Robin Vogt
Scott Walker
Warren White
Michelle Wiest
Tish Zimmer



Juniors



Allen Bausch
Mike Beesecker
Brenda Blum
Sherry Blum
Roberta Bohringer



Julita Breuer
Dorothy Caley
John Dean
Cheryl Dexter
Kathy Donaldson



Teresa Eckstein
Dale Ellner
Bill Fure
Kyle Fishnick
Mike Gage



Sue Giesen
Gayle Groom
Bruce Hampton
Ann Hochhausen
Kim Hochhausen



Steve Hochhausen
Kyle Johnstone
Richard Junk
Mark Kann
Deb Kartman



Brian Kauffman
Joyce Kirschbaum
Randy Kirschbaum
Rod Kirschbaum
Sue Kirschbaum

Three Down



Brian Knox
Janet Krogman
Julie Kuenster
Sue Langkamp
Vicky Martin



Brent McAleese
Bruce McAleese
Marsha McNett
John Mellon
Doug Metcalfe



Mary Moris
Marty Mumm
Roy Mumm
Greg Nickel
Brenda Oates



Kay Okey
Tom Okey
Karla Pitzen
Diane Ploessl
Brenda Retallick



Kim Reynolds
Tim Reynolds
Elaine Richason
Linda Rod
Don Russell



Sonya Schauff
Jane Sedbrook
Rhonda Stanfley
Doris Vaassen
Brad Vogt

One To Go



Ron Walsh
Todd Whyte
Kathy Wood
Kevin Wood
Scott Wood



Tarin Worsham
Tim Worsham
Elaine Zittel



OUR CHOSEN ONES



Pres. Dan Mumm; Stu. Coun.
Mike Kirschbaum; Stu. Coun.
Sandra Wood; Vice Pres. Cree
Zimmer; Sec. Nancy Mergen;
Treas. Jean Metcalfe



Stu. Coun. Kyle Johnstone; Pres. Brian Knox;
Vice Pres. Doris Vaassen; Stu. Coun. Marsha
McNett; Sec-Treas Deb Kartman



Stu. Coun. Brian Haas; Sec-Treas Janet Kirschbaum;
Vice Pres. Brian Harris; Pres. Jane Uppena; Stu. Coun.
Chris Ames



Stu. Coun. Bob Harris; Pres. Dan
Breuer; Vice-Pres. Karen McNett;
Sec. Treas Lisa Zittel; Stu. Coun.
Susan Adrian.

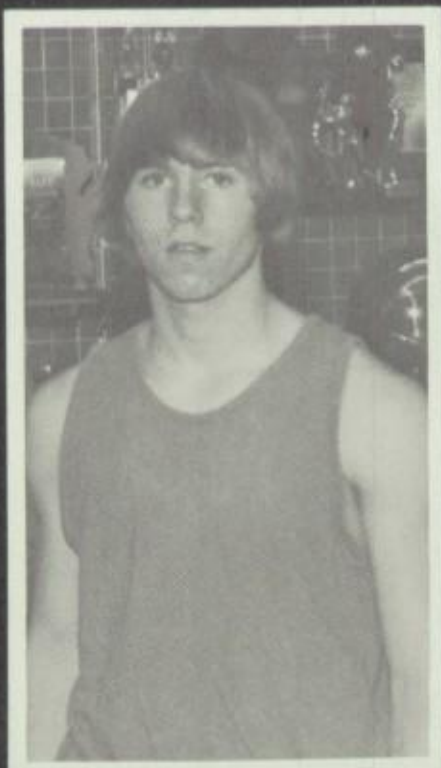
Students In Action



Student Recognition



Ann Hochhausen received the Barley Lau Good Citizenship Award



Mitch Pellock received an honorable mention for football



Badger boy and girls; M. Kann, S. Langkamp, K. Okey



Receiving medals at the Platteville Math Contest were Bob Hudson and Julie Steil



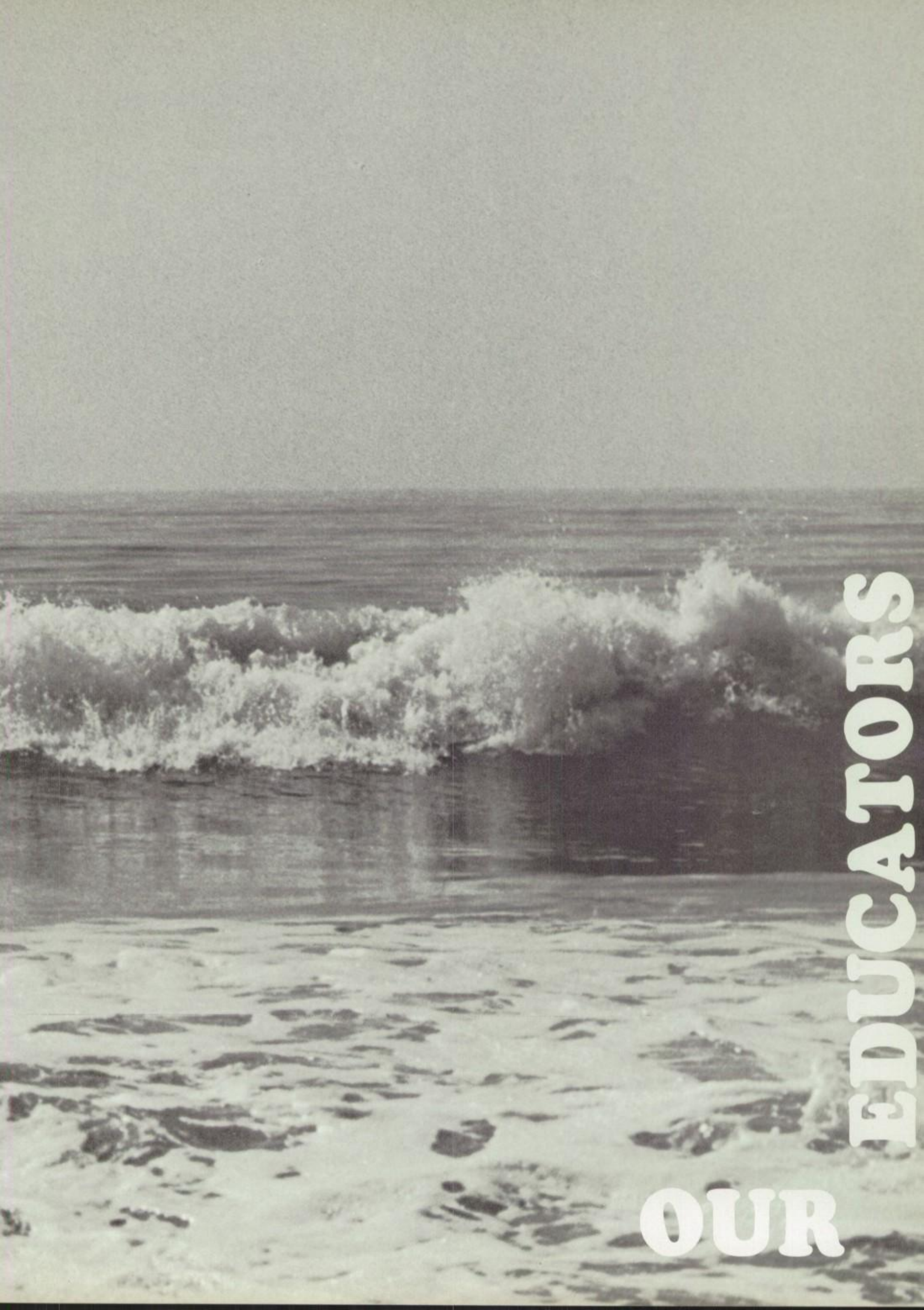
Band Camp Awards went to FRONT ROW, J. Steil, L. Bierman, J. Noll, S. Okey, BACK ROW, J. Steil, P. Ames.



Teresa Eckstein received an Honorable Mention at the typing contest at Fenimore Voc-Tech



Brenda Blum, Rod Kirschbaum, Don Russell, and Dave Fure received 2nd place in Industrial Arts competition.



EDUCATORS

OUR



Mr. Birch
Superintendent



Mr. Olson
Principal

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Mrs. Erickson
District Secretary



Mr. O. Adrian, Mr. C. Seng, Mr. J. Reding, Mr. W. Nuti, Mr. R. Lawrence, Mr. L. Wood, Mr. V. Tranchita



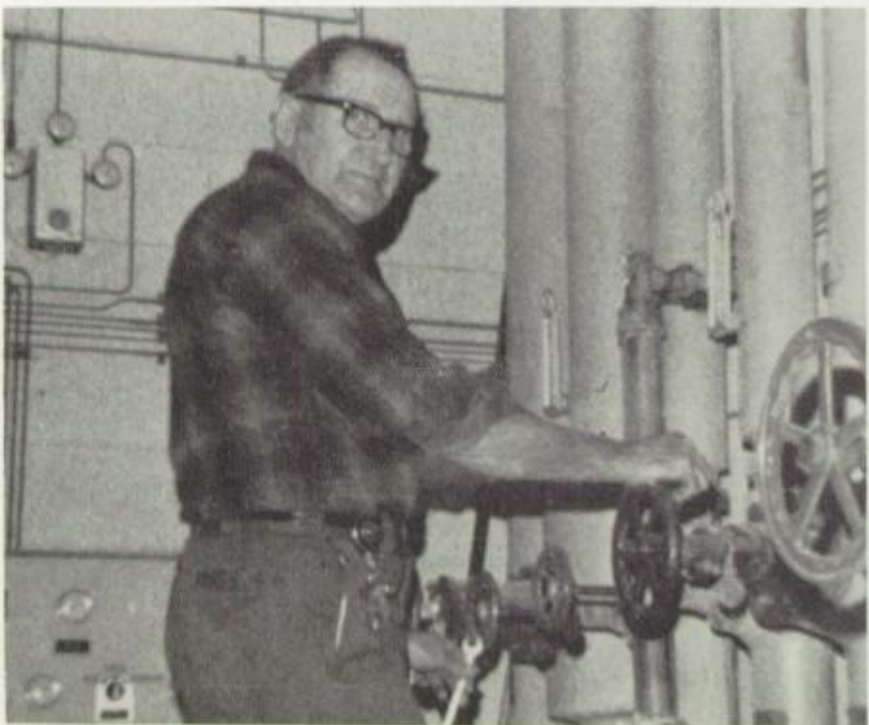
Mrs. Buschbom
School Secretary



CUSTODIAN
Paul Bartels



CUSTODIANS
Ron McDaniels and Mary Ann Vogt



CUSTODIAN
Walt Bartels

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Cooks: Mrs. Grattan, Mrs. Soule, Mrs. Vogt, Mrs. Esser.



Cooks: Mrs. Kirschbaum, Mrs. Johnstone, Mrs. Martin.

Faculty



TOP ROW

MR. ANDERSON -- Basic Math, Biology, Chemistry I, Boys Intramurals, Sophomore Advisor
MR. BARTON -- Drafting, Elec., Tech, Plastics, Wiring, Woodwkg., Plumbing, Masonary, Printing, Amer. Industry, Foundary, Carpeting, J.V. Wrestling Coach, Technical Drafting, Mechanical Drafting, Sophomore Advisor

BOTTOM ROW

MRS. BENISH -- American Lit., Tech. Writing, Drama Coach, Poetry, Creative Writing, Journalism, Forensics Advisor, Junior Class Advisor, Librarian, Library Club Advisor
MRS. BERNHARDT -- Chorus, Business English, Speech, Elementary Music, Sophomore Advisor





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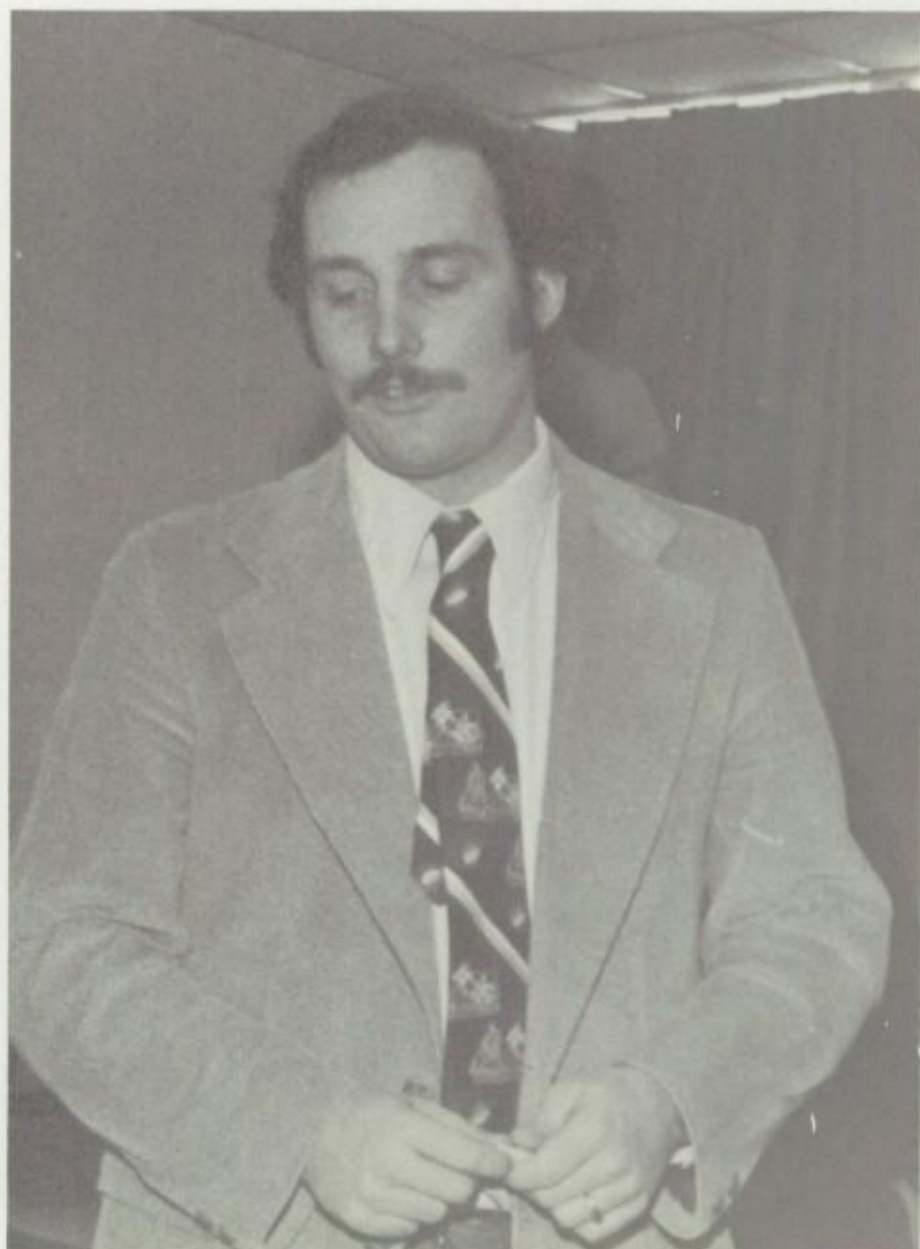
MR. BLAKELY -- Ag. I, Ag. II, Ag. III, Ag. IV, F.F.A. Advisor, Junior Advisor

MISS HANSON -- Girls Phy. Ed. -- 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, Girls Varsity Basketball Coach, Girls Track Coach, Senior Advisor, Volleyball Coach

BOTTOM ROW

MR. KLAUER -- Instrumental Music, Elementary and High School, Junior Advisor, Cheerleading Advisor

MR. KOLFF -- Soc., Cont. Prob., Econ., Am. History III, Varsity Football Coach, Baseball Coach, Boys J.V. Basketball Coach, Track Coach, Senior Advisor





TOP ROW

MRS. LARSON -- Novels I & II, English 9, Drama, Drama Coach, Forensics, Freshman Advisor
MISS MICHELS -- Typing I, Typing II, Book-keeping, Office Practice, Shorthand, Yearbook Advisor, GAA Advisor, Junior Advisor, J.V. Volleyball Coach

BOTTOM ROW

MR. MORLEY -- Area Studies, Am. History I & II, Homecoming Advisor, Graduation Advisor
MR. MORGAN -- Drivers Education, Elementary Phy. Ed., Senior Advisor





TOP ROW

MR. OKEY -- Boys Phy. Ed. 9, 10, 11, 12, Track Coach, Wrestling Coach, Athletic Director, Cross Country Coach

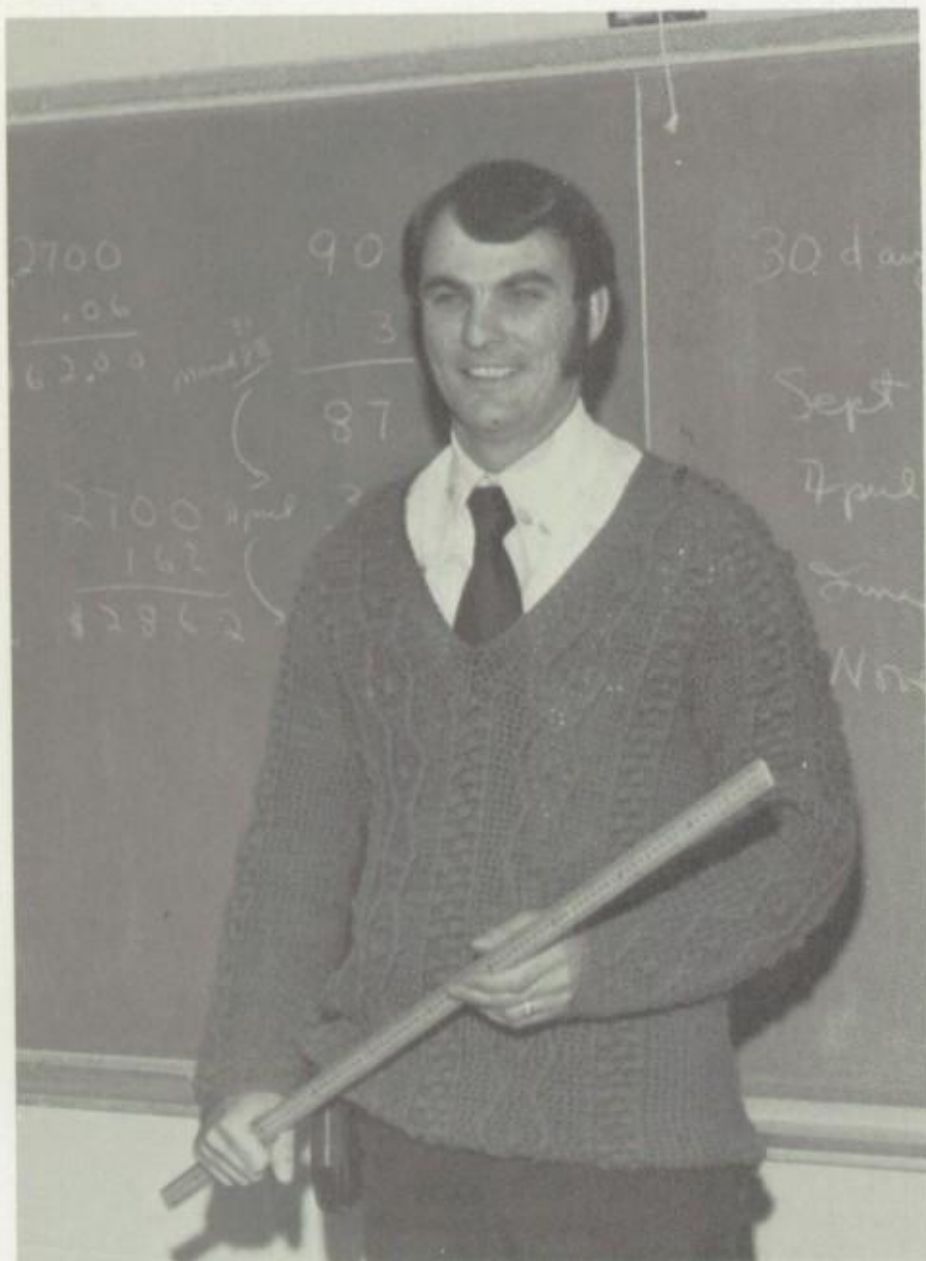
MISS PRAHL -- Art I, II, III, Elementary Art, Freshmen Advisor

BOTTOM ROW

MISS SATOLA -- Guidance Counselor, Student Council Advisor

MISS SCHUETZ -- Basketball Coach Assistance, Child Care Freshmen Survey, Family Living, Single Living, Clothing, Food, Track Coach





TOP ROW

MR. STEMPER -- Business Math, Algebra I, Algebra II, Geometry, Varsity Basketball Coach, J.V. Football Coach, Freshmen Advisor
MR. VINCENT -- I.P.S., General Math, A.V. Director, Freshmen Advisor, J. V. Football Coach

BOTTOM ROW

MRS. OKEY -- Assistant Teacher
MRS. BETHKE -- Study hall supervisor





SENIORS



Julie Chapman



Joe Ackerman



Peggy Bausch



Jimi Bailey



Tim Bildenback



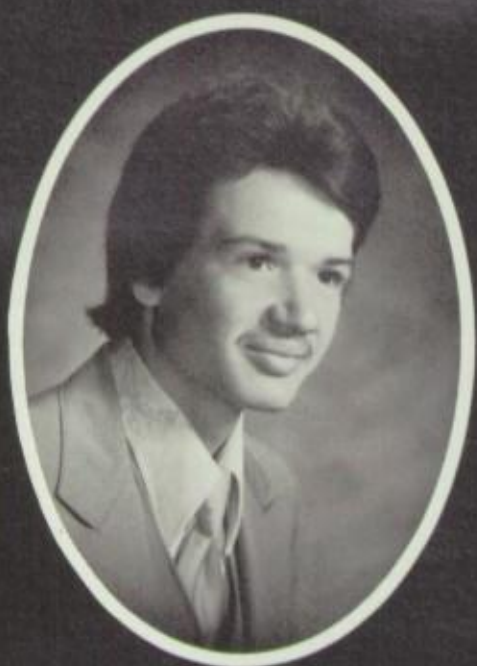
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Steve Breese



Stacy Blum



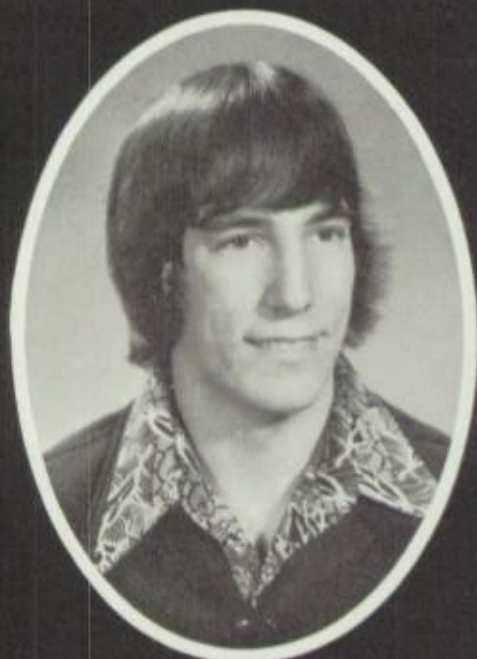
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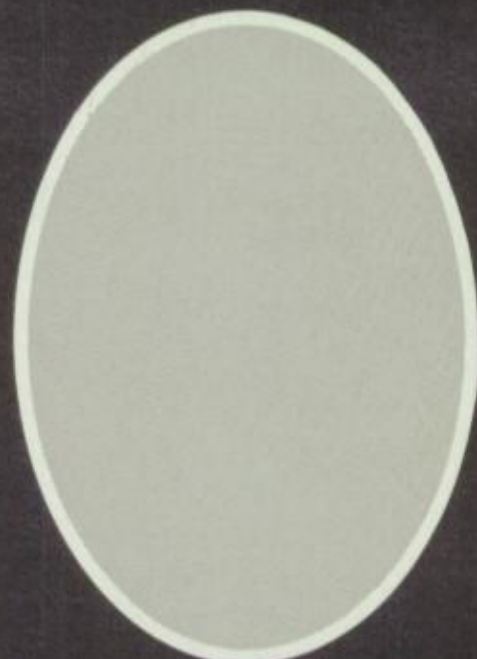
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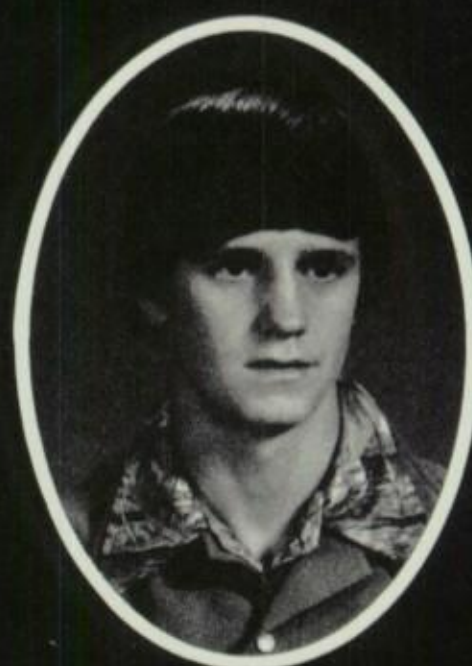
Keith Donaldson



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James Hampton



Dave Junk



LouAnn Hampton



Julie Hochhausen



TOM HESS



MAMI HARRIS



Bruce A. Metcalf



Mike Kirschbaum



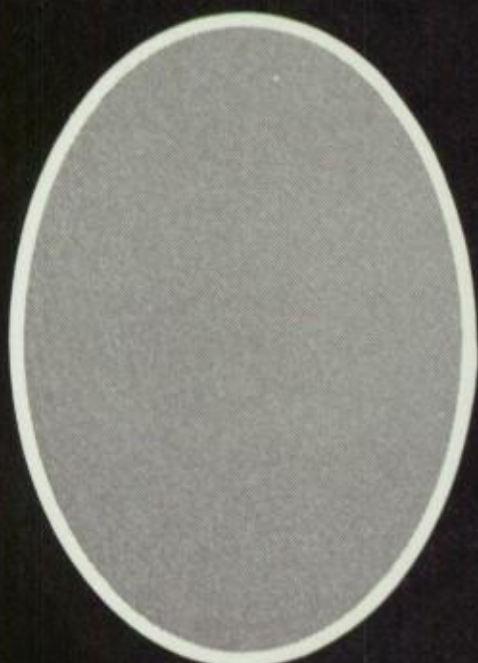
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Nancy Mergen



Lisa Sedberry



Jim Mellon



Eugene Ley



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Eric Schaub



Gary Metcalf



Jean Metcalfe



Colleen Rittenhouse



Dan Mumm



Sue Pitzer



Melanie Olson



Debra Murray



Donna Vaassen



Patrick Schier



Pam Schiffman



Karen Tranchita



Neil Song



Kathleen Leach



Cathy Tennessen



Steve Soule



Cree Zimmer



Rick VanNatta



Scott Vogt



Gary Yunk

NEW PLANS
NEW FUTURE



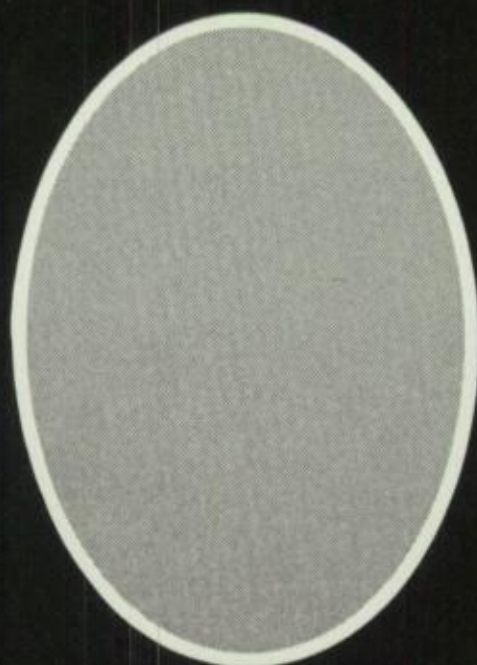
NEW HORIZONS



Jami Vosburg



Sandra Hood



Mark Wilder



Allen White

Senior

JOE ACKERMAN

Boys Wrestling (Varsity) 1,3. Boys Wrestling (J.V.) 1.

PEG BAUSCH

G.A.A. 1. Home Ec. Club 1,2,3. Chorus 1,2,3,4. Solo Ensemble (Chorus 2,3. Band 1.

TIM BILDERBACK

Newspaper, 4. Boys Basketball (Varsity) 3,4. Boys Basketball (J.V.) 1,2. Boys Football (Varsity) 2,3, 4. Boys Football (J.V.) 1. Boys Track, 1,2,3,4. Baseball 2,3,4. Letterman's Club 1. Color Guard 3. Forensics 2,3,4. Student Council Rep. 2. Honorable Mention Football 2,4.

STACEY BLUM

Home Ec. Club 1,2,3. Parlimentarian 3. Chorus 1,2,3.

STEVE BREESE

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4. Boys Basketball (J.V.) 1,2. Intramurals 2,3. Prom King 3. Boys Football (Varsity) 4. Boys Football (J.V.) 1,2. Cross Country (Varsity) 3. Cross Country (J.V.) 3. Homecoming Court 2. Student Council Rep. 1.

BRENDA BREUER

G.A.A. 1,2. Library Club 1. Home Ec. Club 1,2,3. Newspaper 1. Drama Club 1. National Honor Society 1,2. Girls Track 1,2. Salutatorian of her class.

JIM CALEY

JULIE CHAPMAN

G.A.A. 1,2,3. Home Ec Club 1. Newspaper 1. Drama Club 2,3. Girls' Track 1,2,3. Chorus 1,2,3,4. Solo Ensemble (Chorus) 1,2. Cadettes 2,3. Forensics 2. Cheerleader (J.V.) Basketball 1. Cheerleader Wrestling 2. Prom Court 3. Track Sectionals 2,3. Chorus Vice-President 4. Student Council Rep. Chorus 4.

JEFF CORNELL

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4. Boys' Basketball (J.V.) 1,2. Boys' Football (J.V.) 1. Boys' Basketball Intramurals 1, 2,3,4.

MARY DIETRICH

G.A.A. 1,2,3,4. Library Club 2,3,4. Home Ec. Club 1,2,3. Drama Club 1. Chorus 3,4. Solo Ensemble (Chorus) 3,4. Band 1,2,3,4. Cadettes 4. Forensics 4. Cheerleader (Varsity) Football 4. Cheerleader Wrestling 1,3. Prom Court 3. J.V. Football Cheerleader 2.

MIKE DIETRICH

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KEITH DONALDSON

BARB ESSER

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TOM FINNEY

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DAVE FURE

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JEFFERY GLASS

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LORI (OKEY) HALVERSON

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JIM HAMPTON

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4. Cross Country (Varsity) 2,3,4. Boys' Wrestling (Varsity) 1,2. Boys' Intramurals 3. F.F.A. Treasurer 3. President 4. Most Valuable Runner 2,3.

LOU ANN HAMPTON

G.A.A. 1. Girls' Basketball 1. Girls' Track 1. Band 1.

TAMI HARRIS

V.I.C.A. 1,2,3. G.A.A. 1,2,3,4. Library Club 2,3,4. Home Ec. Club 2,3. Newspaper 1,4. Drama Club 2,3,4. Girls' Basketball 1,2,4. Girls' Volleyball 2,4. Girls' Track 1,2,3,4. Chorus 2,3,4. Solo Ensemble (Chorus) 2,3,4. Band 1,2,3,4. Pep Band 1,4. Solo Ensemble (Band) 4. Forensics 3. Cheerleader (J.V.) Basketball 1. Cheerleader (Varsity) Basketball 2,3. Chorus President 4. Drama Club Vice-President 4. Sec.-Treas. V.I.C.A. 2,3. State of Wis. V.I.C.A. Sec-Treas. 2. V.I.C.A. Mechanical Drafting 3rd-Greenlake Convention 1. V.I.C.A. Architectual Drafting 3rd 2.

TOM HESS

F.F.A. 1,2,3,4. Reporter of F.F.A. 4. Boys' Football (Varsity) 3,4.

JULIE HOCHHAUSEN

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DAVE JUNK

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KATHY KIRSCHBAUM

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THERESA KLASS

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LISA LEDBURY

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SCOTT LENZ

EUGENE LEY

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JIM MELLON

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NANCY MERGEN

G.A.A. 2. Home Ec. Club 1, 2, 3. Treasurer 3. N.H.S. 4. Girl's Volleyball 3, 4. Girl's Track 1, 2, 3. Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Pep Band 1, 2, 3, 4. Solo Ensemble (Band) 1, 2, 4. Homecoming Queen 4. Class Officer Secretary 2, 4. Treasurer 3. Statistician for Basketball 4. State Solo Ensemble Contest (Band) 2. Band President 4.

BRUCE METCALF

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DAN MUMM

F.F.A. 4. Student Council Rep. - F.F.A. 4. N.H.S. 2, 3, 4. Sec. - Treas. - N.H.S. 4. Boys' Football (Varsity) 4. Cross Country (Varsity) 2, 3. Cross Country (J.V.) 1. Boys' Wrestling (J.V.) 1. Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4. Letterman's Club 1, 2. Treasurer of Letterman's 2. Boys' Basketball Intramurals 2, 3. Class Officer President 4. - Vice-President 1. Valedictorian of Class.

DEB MURRAY

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MELANIE OLSON

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STEVE SOULE

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DONNA VAASSEN

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RICK VAN NATTA

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SCOTT VOGT

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TAMI VOSBERG

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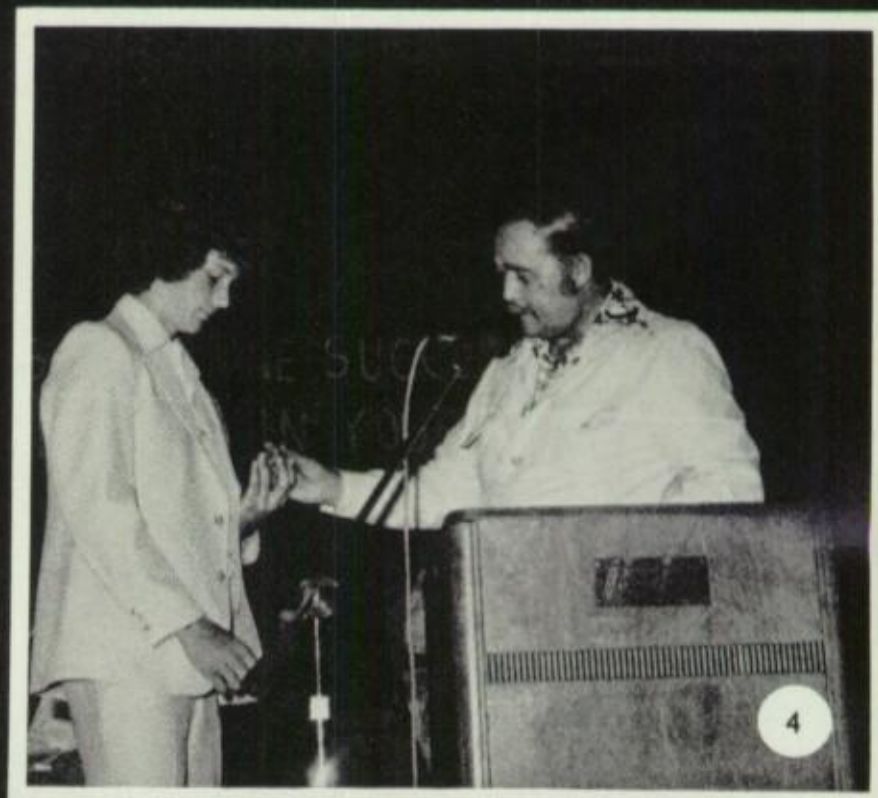
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LUCRETIA ZIMMER

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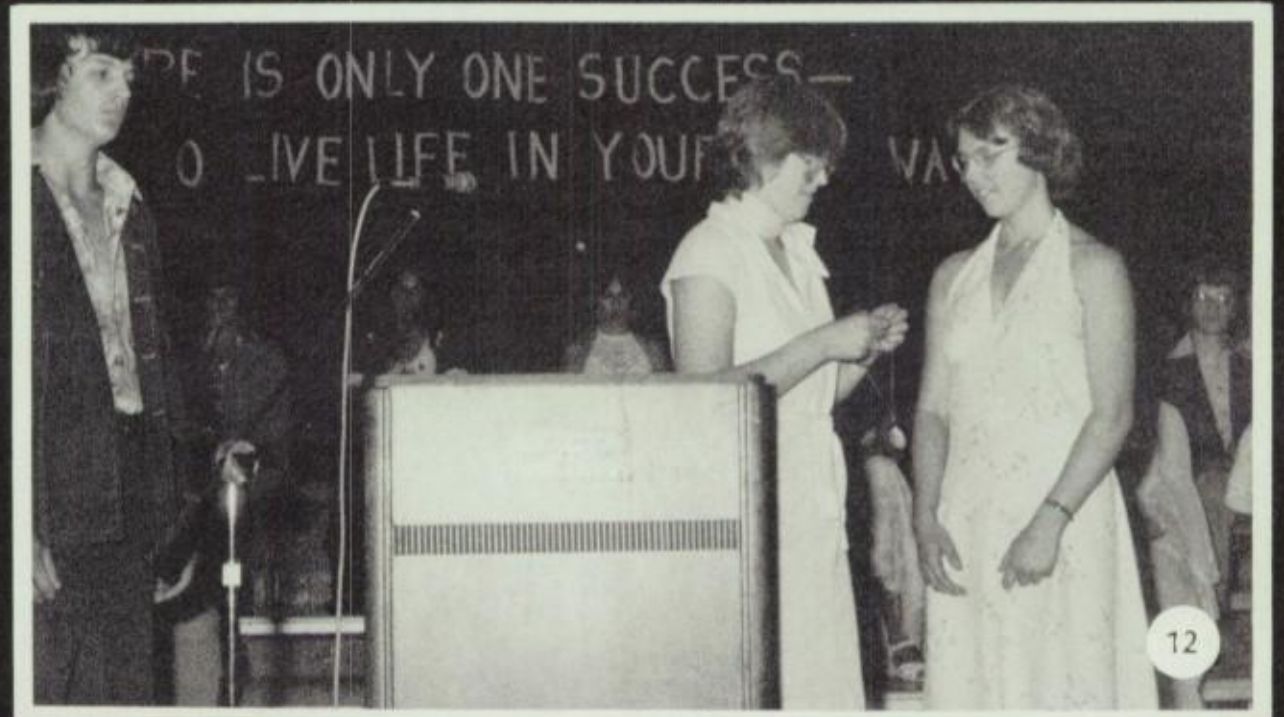
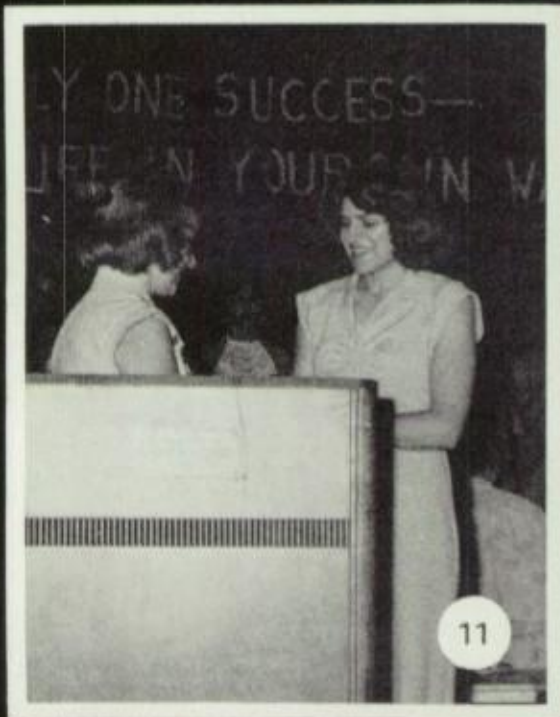
There Is Only One Success



1. Dan Mumm-Valedictorian, Brenda Breuer-Salutatorian
2. Dan Mumm-Master of Ceremony
3. Cadets and drum major
4. Mike Kirschbaum-Good Citizenship Award
5. Tami Harris-Wis. Barge Line Scholarship
6. Dan Mumm-Chester Okey Scholarship
7. Tom Finney-D.A.R. Award

8. Neil Seng-Class History
9. Theresa Klaas-Class Will
10. Cree Zimmer-Class Prophecy
11. Brenda Breuer-Business Award
12. Eric Schauff & Lisa Ledbury-Art Award
13. Library Club Presentation
14. Jean Metcalfe & Karen Tranchita-Annual Award
15. Dave Fure-Industrial Arts Award

Night



To Live Life In Your Own Way!



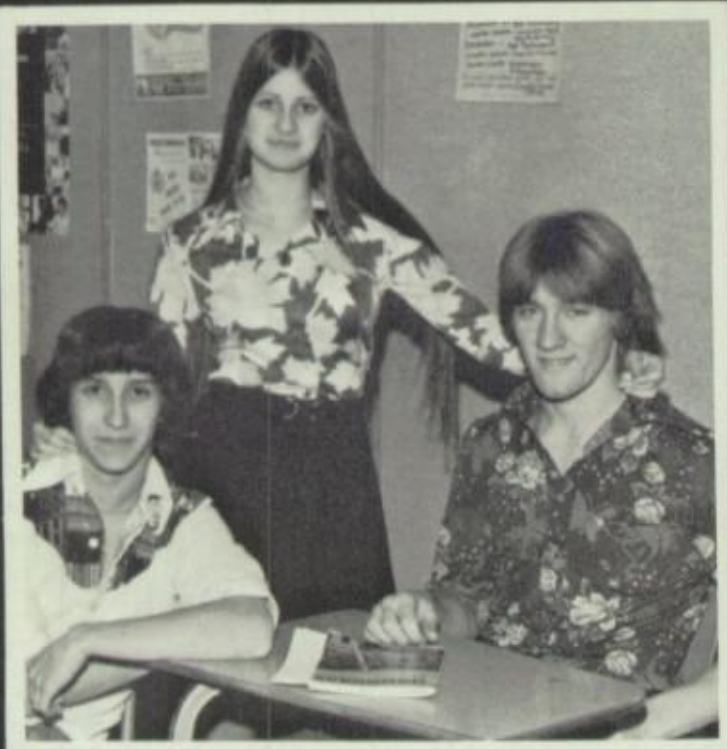
Senior Recognition



Jeff Glass and Dave Junk were named on the All-Conference football squad.



Tim Bilderback, Mike Kirschbaum, Dave Fure received honorable mention in football.



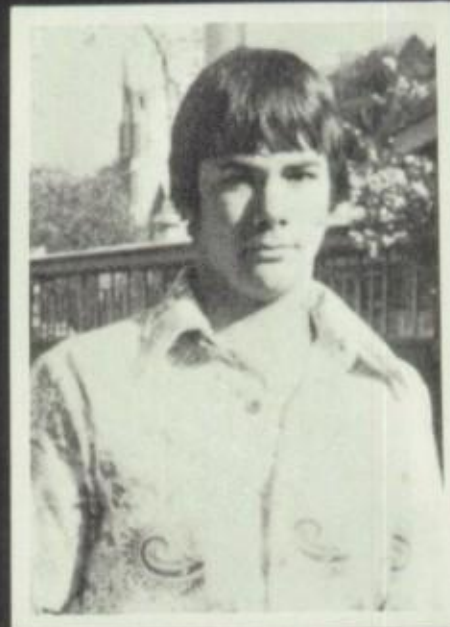
Winners of the voice of Democracy contest were Steve Breese, Karen Tranchita, and Tim Bildelback.



Receiving their white letters were Dave Fure, Tom Finney, and Dan Mumm.



Attending an English symposium at Madison were Cree Zimmer, Tom Finney, and Karen Tranchita, with their advisor, Mrs. Benish.



Dan Mumm placed first in a bookkeeping contest held at the Fennimore Vo-Tech.



Tom Finney received the Betty Crocker award.

The History Of Our Four Years

We, the class of 1977, started our High School career in Mid-August of 1973, with a total of 62 students. During the first semester Karla Kuenster and Dawn Yocum transferred to other schools. Our class officers were: Sandy Wood, President; Dan Mumm, Vice-President; Kathy Tesch, Treasurer; Bruce Metcalfe, Secretary; Steve Breese and Lori Lisher, Student Council representatives. Our Homecoming Representative was Sandy Wood, her escort was Jim Mellon. At the end of our Freshman year, Nan Nemitz left our class.

We began our Sophomore year in late August of 1974, with 28 girls and 31 boys. We had no additions or no deletions during our Sophomore year. Our class officers were: Mike Dietrich, President; Donna Vaassen, Vice-President; Cree Zimmer, Secretary; and Nancy Mergen, Treasurer. Our Homecoming Representative was Sandy Wood with Jim Mellon as her escort. We received first place on our window decoration. Our class advisors this year were Mrs. Benish, Mr. Kolff and Mr. Morgan. At the end of our Sophomore year, Lori Lisher transferred to Middleton High School.

We began our Junior year with 61 students. We were joined that year by Irene Callahan and Theresa Klaas, later that year Sherry Cull left us. Our class officers that year were: Sandy Wood, President; Cree Zimmer, Vice-President; Kathy Tesch, Secretary, Donna Vaassen, Treasurer; Student Council members were Jeff Glass and Jean Metcalfe. Homecoming highlighted the fall with Donna Vaassen as our Representative and Mike Kirschbaum as her escort. We received a first on our window decoration, second place on our skit and a third on our float. Our Homecoming theme that year was: "Victory, How Sweet it is!" In spite of this, the Senior night proved to be unsuccessful as the Belmont Braves defeated us.

Spring and our Spring Prom came quickly. On April 24, 1976, our Junior Prom, with the theme "Precious and Few" was held. Steve Breese and Jean Metcalfe reigned as King and Queen. Other members of the court were: Rick Van Netta and Julie Chapman, Mark Wilder and Barb Esser, Jim Mellon and Sandy Wood, Todd Nemitz and Kathy Kirschbaum, Dave Junk and Karen Tranchita, Mike Kirschbaum and Mary Dietrich. Lavender Hill provided the music.

Our Badger Boys were Tom Finney and Mike Kirschbaum. The Badger Girls were Karen Tranchita and Cree Zimmer. Jean Metcalfe was alternate. Recipient of the traditional wooden spoon was Dan Mumm. Our class Advisors were: Miss Hanson, Mr. Kolff, Mr. Morgan and Miss Pittz. At the end of the year Mike Junk left our class. Thus our Junior year ended with the anxious anticipation knowing that was only one year left.

When we returned in the fall of 1976 we were a class of 59, 30 boys and 29 girls, Kathleen Brinkman joined us that fall, but during the course of the year she, Todd Nemitz and Laurie Starr left our class. Our class officers were: Dan Mumm, President; Cree Zimmer, Vice-President; Nancy Mergen, Secretary; Jean Metcalfe, Treasurer; Student Council members were Mike Kirschbaum and Sandy Wood. Our Homecoming King and Queen were Tom Finney and Nancy Mergen. Lisa Ledbury was our Senior Representative with Dave Yunk as her escort. Dave Junk was also Mr. Ugly. Our class advisors were Mr. Kolff, Miss Hanson, Mr. Morgan and Mr. Morley.

At the end of the first semester, 20 Seniors applied and qualified for early graduation. They were: Peggy Bausch, Stacey Blum, Julie Chapman, Jeff Cornell, Mary Dietrich, Mike Dietrich, Lori Halverson, Jim Hampton, Tom Hess, Kathy Kirschbaum, Debra Murray, Colleen Rittenhouse, Eric Schauff, Scott Vogt, Tami Vosberg, Allen White, Mark Wilder, Gary Yunk, Donna Vaassen and myself, Neil Seng.

Our Class trip was held April 14-16th with about one half of the class attending. It included seeing the sights around Milwaukee, attending a ballgame, attending a concert and going to the zoo and museum.

Our Valedictorian is Dan Mumm and Salutatorian is Brenda Breuer, our class flower is the white rose and we have chosen as our motto: "There is only one success-to live life in your own way."

Tomorrow night May 20, 1977, we will be graduating and as we will be ending one phase of our lives and beginning many others, we will not only remember the good times and good friends we have had here, but also the experiences and knowledge we have gained.

Neil Seng



Who cooked this — ?



WHAT A FOURSOME!

The year is 1987. We are here standing outside of "Hells Door," formerly the Beetown Gospel Hall. This was ransacked by JEFF CORNELL, EUGENE LEY, KEITH DONALDSON, and GARY YUNK making it now one of the most whispered about nightclubs in the state with LISA LEDBURY as the top dancer. Supposedly Lisa took ballet for nine years but anyone who comes here can see that what she's doing is no ballet. The bartenders, NEIL SENG, and TOM HESS are having a heated argument on how to fix a brandy-coke, Tom wants to use pepsi while Neil insists on using whiskey. After a few drinks like that I, CREE ZIMMER, doubt that I shall be able to report accurately on the entire evening.

As I looked around, I noticed BARB ESSER and KATHY TESCH setting up tables and place mats. Both are only part-time waitresses and decided the tips would be extremely high, especially since they were wearing the dresses designed by Kathy, which were made of real daisies. Kathy has called her creation "pick a daisy or two," and believes they help you see what's under spring. Barb is married, believes she has millions of children (actually only twin sons and triplet daughters), lives on a farm and has a habit of going bezerk three times a day. She says her doctor PEGGY BAUSCH recommended it. Peggy was the only ward clerk to go on and become a doctor. The others, STACEY BLUM, KATHY KIRSCHBAUM, DEB MURRAY, and TAMI VOSBERG are all presently in at Orchard Manor. Tami at the time is griping about their salaries. I didn't have the heart to tell her that I never heard of the inmates of that place getting paid.

MIKE KIRSCHBAUM, TOM FINNEY, and STEVE BREESE have graduated from the College of Roamers. Mike and Tom are football coaches. They have taught their roaming techniques to two of their star players, TIM BILDIRBACK and DAVE FURE. Both learned fast and many great touchdowns have been made by roaming the ball under the goal post. Too bad it never seems to be the right goal post. Steve, on the other hand, decided to become a roaming janitor. Rumor has it that there never seems to be enough hours in the day to roam through the girls' locker room.

As I stumbled through the crowd I bumped into MELANIE OLSON. She was talking to CATHY TENNESSEN. Melanie owns her own creative crafts shop and will sell you anything from rubber toe nails to crocheted underwear. Cathy resides in Tennessee where she owns a horse farm. Since she is quite rich, I inquired as to how this came about. It appears that she just sits back and lets the horses do the running. DAN MUMM has his own special way of keeping her books straight when he is not with the bunnies at the boom-voom.

Now that the evening is halfway through, JEFF GLASS and his band, the Tijuana Hash has begun to play. Members of the band are: DAVE JUNK on tobacco; JIM MELLON on pipe, and RICK VAN VATTA on jug.

Over near the slot machines are PAM SCHIFFMAN, COLLEEN RITTENHOUSE, LORI HALVERSON, and LOUANN HAMPTON. They had all driven back from Nevada in the car designed by Colleen. LouAnn and

Pam have opened a hotel in Las Vegas where Lori and her husband run a basement casino.

While the band was taking a break a thud was heard on the roof. It was BRENDA BREUER. She told me she just decided to drop in. Brenda is a secretary in the Air Force and now after ten years she received her own private office complete with a General.

Other secretaries in our class are: DONNA VAA-SSSEN, MARY DIETRICH and THERESA KLAAS. Theresa and Donna are using their skills (not necessarily secretarial), for needy firms while Mary is still in school trying to figure out what all the keys on a typewriter do.

Brenda was dropped off by pilot MIKE DIETRICH who received his license and the nickname "Crash." JEAN METCALFE was his private stewardess until she cracked up with the plane. From there she went into Special Education.

Another stewardess SANDY WOOD found her job rewarding—it brought her closer to the sun. It just so happens the sun shines best in the pilots quarters.

KAREN TRANCHITA and NANCY MERGEN have opened their own lodge. Karen teaches anyone how to reck a moterboat in one easy lesson. Nancy is teaching physical fitness at the lodge. When it comes to the trampoline she has more downs than ups, but she really knows a lot of moves. MARK WILDER could not be with us tonight. After traveling around the world a couple of times, he decided to make his home in Egypt with his harem, Germany with the Naughty Nazis, and Japan with the Geisha Girls.

ALLEN WHITE and JIM HAMPTON were found behind the bar. Jim has stayed near Cassville and set up farming. He managed to produce a new breed of horse and has hired Allen to tame it. As soon as Allen distinguishes the head from the tail, or for that matter, the top from the bottom, he will get right on it.

JULIE CHAPMAN and SUE PITZEN are full time boy watchers. While Julie is with the boys, Sue watches. At the moment they are taking about TAMI HARRIS. Tami is now on the Women's Olympic team. She's the star bubble gum chewer in the low hurdles.

Over in a not so secluded corner were SCOTT VOGT and JULIE HOCHHAUSEN. Scott and Julie are contemplating marriage. Julie doesn't want to rush into marriage because after all they have only been going together for fifteen years. Scott is now a door to door salesman. He does all his selling in sign language. The last classmates to arrive were BRUCE METCALF, PAT SCHIER, DAVE METCALF, and STEVE SOULE. The reason they gave for being late was that their CB wasn't functioning properly and they were picked up by a smokey. Later Pat told me it was because Dave was busy making arrangements with ERIC SCHAUFF to pick up any extra jugs he had around his still. Dave and Eric knew we would be running low at the reunion.

With that I would like to conclude this class prophecy. In some cases I have been too lenient; in others I may have been too harsh. However, it's all in fun and perhaps in ten years we will know just how close to the truth we came.

Cree Zimmer

Retirement

D e v o t i o n



On behalf of Mr. Lawrence Wood of the school board and Mr. Dave Birch, Superintendent, and the Cassville Community, we would like to pay tribute to these two retiring teachers. Mrs. Edna Lane is ending a teaching career of 39 years, 12 of which were spent in Cassville, and Mrs. Irene Jack whose endeavors have extended 40 years of service, of which most were spent in Cassville. The annual staff expresses their most sincere thanks and hopes that their future will bring many new horizons.



Excitement In Milwaukee



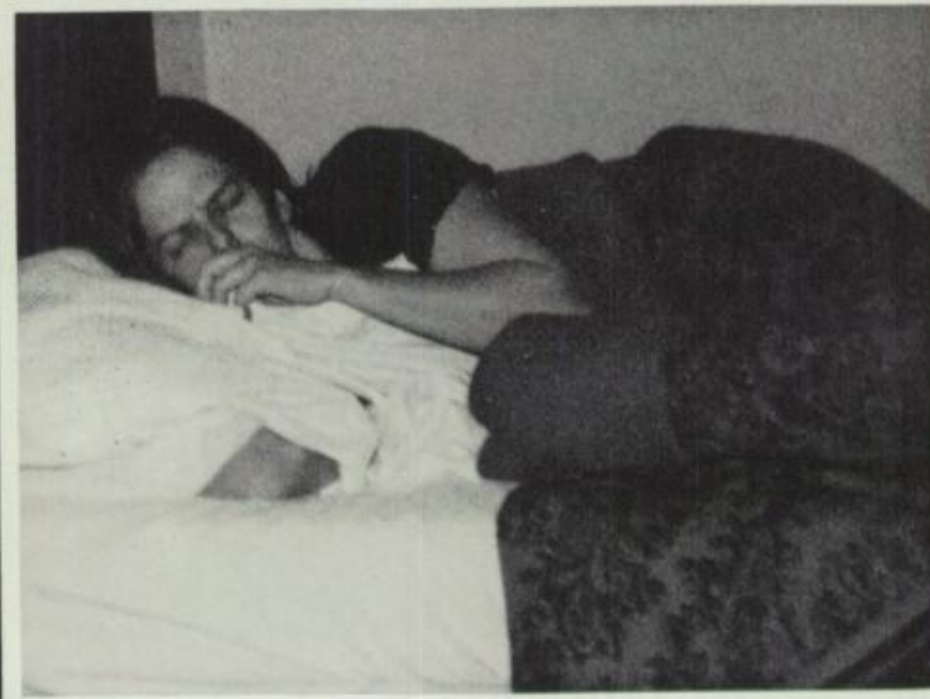
Smile Pretty!



Chowing Down!



Hello!



Our Advisor - Miss Hanson!

On Thursday, April 14, the Senior Class departed from Cassville High School for a three day trip to Milwaukee. The trip over took approximately three and a half hours.

They arrived in Milwaukee at about 4:30 and were settled in their hotel rooms by 5:00 which gave them plenty of time to find someplace to eat on their own. After supper they attended the Vasser Clemens Concert, which wasn't quite what everybody had expected it to be. After the concert, everybody retired to their hotel rooms, except a few who skipped out for a bite to eat.

The next morning everybody was up and around by 8:30 and at 9:30 they took off for the Mitchell Park Horticultural Domes, three gigantic glass domes, each showing the various types of plant life of three separate environments. Following the Domes, the class took a tour of the Mitchell Field Airport and also the "Pabst Blue Ribbon" Brewery. After the tour they were served with refreshments -- ORANGE POP. Next, some of the class toured the Museum, the others went back to the hotel. That night was spent either at the Brewers' ballgame or just roaming the city of Milwaukee.

The next morning was spent at the zoo, with the afternoon being spent at another Brewers' ballgame or going shopping at a large shopping mall.

The trip home was very quiet as everybody was extremely exhausted from their three day adventure.





Cassville was represented by five individuals. Madison hosted both the boys and girls meet June 3rd and 4th. The boys Mile Relay team consisting of Bob Hudson, Tim Bilderback, Jeff Glass, and Mike Kirschbaum. They qualified with a time of 3:35.3. Mike Kirschbaum also went on in the 880 yard run with his qualifying time of 2:02.04.

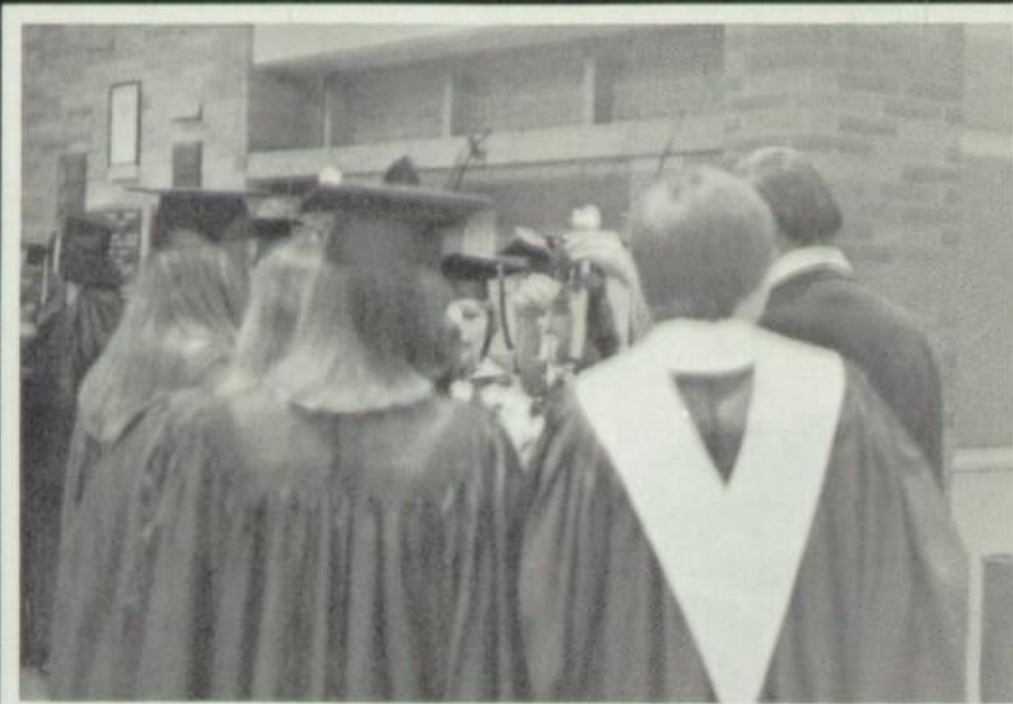
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Freshman Cheryl White qualified in the new event of the 220 low hurdles with a time of 33.01.

Class Of 1977



GRADUATION TIME

Time to say farewell to friends
and happy, busy years.
Time for fun and laughter
and maybe even tears.
Time to gather memories
to hold as souvenirs.
And as the future's promise
beams,
It's time to reach for higher
dreams!

Kay Andrew



Graduation is a time for laughter and tears, as proven by members of the 1977 graduating class. On May 20, the scene of all the excitement was the CHS Gym; at approximately 8:00 p.m., many parents, friends, and faculty assembled to honor this class. For four years, this group had stuck together through term papers, reading assignments and exams.

The time had come for this group to break up and for each separate member to go his own way.

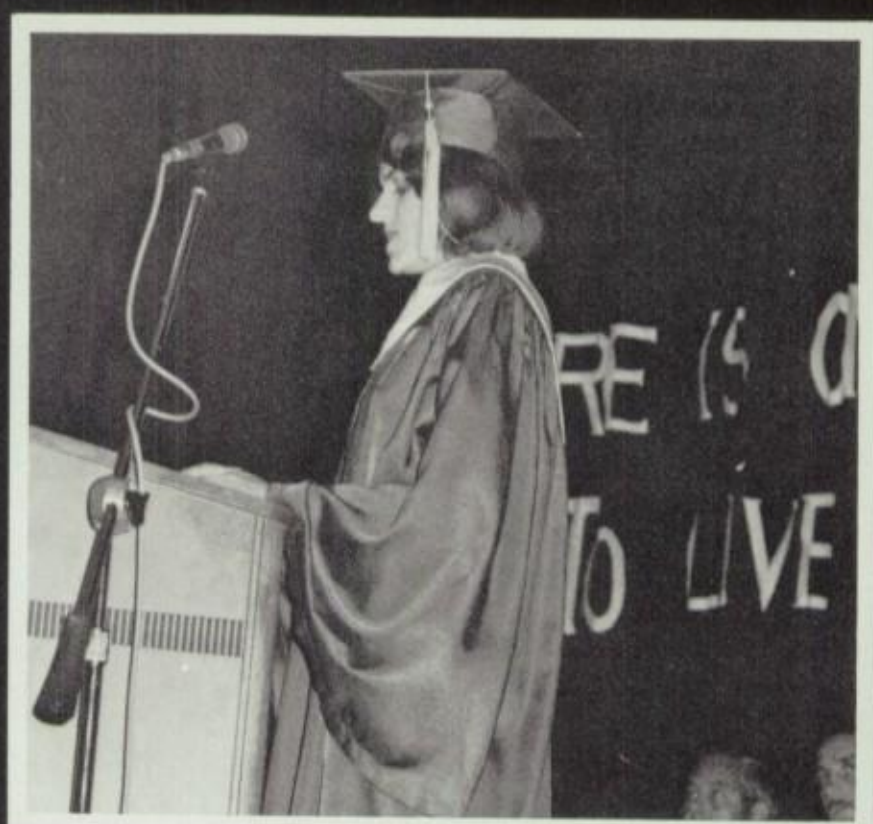
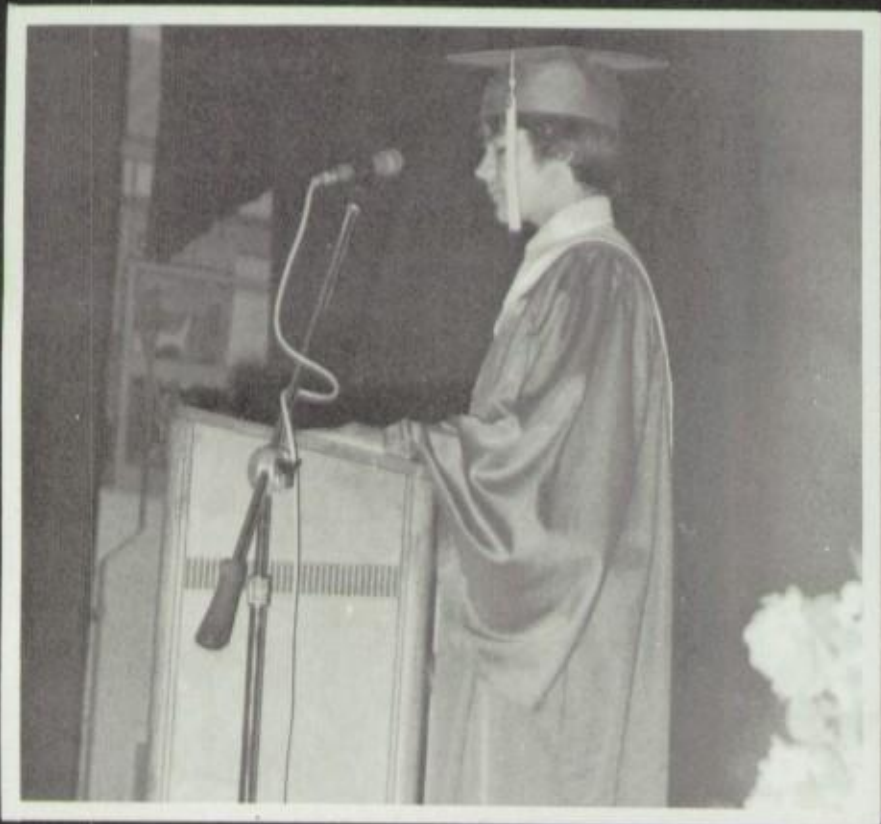
Dan Mumm, Valedictorian and Brenda Breuer, Salutatorian addressed the assembly of their classmates on the subject of memories from the past and looking forward to the NEW HORIZONS ahead.



Class Motto-
There Is
Only One Success
In Life - To Live
Life In Your Own
Way!

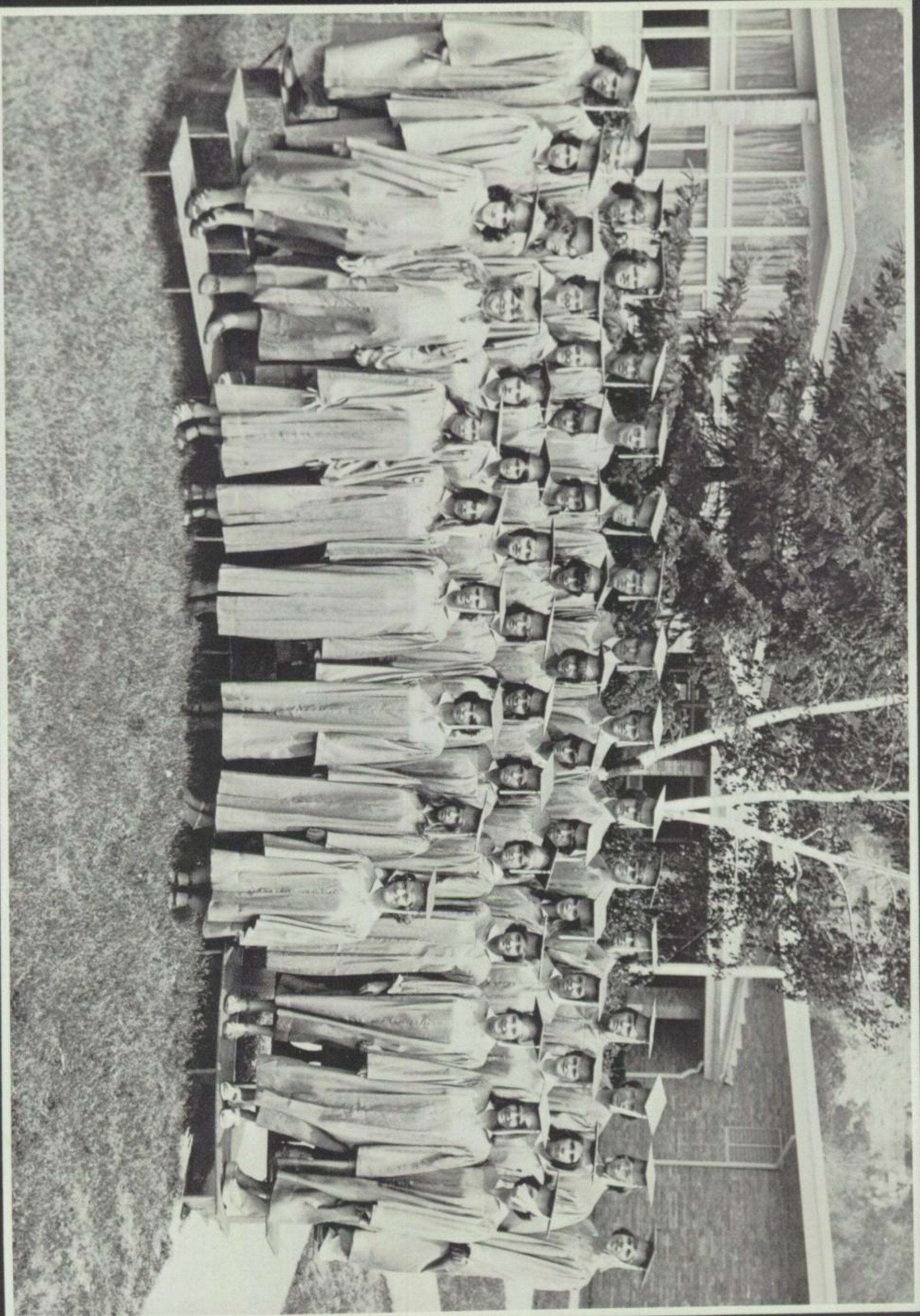
Class Colors-
Purple & White
Class Flower-
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Graduates



"You Betcha!"



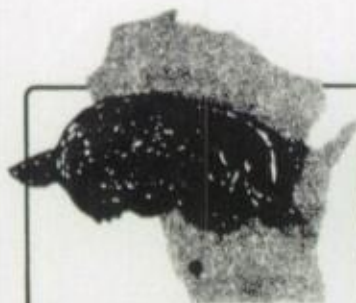


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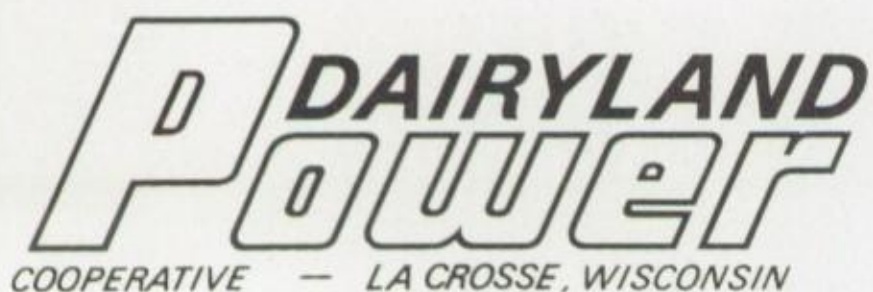
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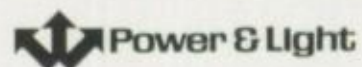
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